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WAR CLOUDS GATHERING ONCE AGAIN

REVOLUTION - RIDDEN MEXICO IN VITAL STRUGGLE.

The Anti-Huerta Sentiment Spreads With Succeeding Hours.

MADERO FOLLOWERS AFTER VENGEANCE.

Hoped-for Peace is Further Away Today Than for Many Weeks.

Yaqui Indians Will Enter Struggle, Increasing Cruelties.

Douglas, Ariz., March 12.—General Ojeda and 450 men evacuated Auga Prieta at 9 o'clock today and began an over-land march west to Nogales, where Colonel Kosterlitzky's rural police are threatened with attack. Each man carried all the arms and ammunition possible. The rest of the garrison equipment surplus arms and ammunition were left packed in box cars.

Breakers Ahead:

Los Angeles, Calif., March 12.—More than 1,200 anti-Huerta partisans, mostly Mexicans, were reported last night to have taken passage from Los Angeles for points along the Sonora border, where they expected to organize a filibustering party for participation in the latest Mexican revolt.

Each member of the party, it was said, purchased his own equipment with funds furnished from a common source.

Revolutionary Fatigue.

El Paso, Texas, March 12.—If the provisional government at Mexico City intends to rush troops to subdue the anti-Huerta uprising Sonora, the western border state, it must be done either by landing feedral forces at some California Gulf port or moving them from Chihuahua. But the recent declaration of Inez Salzar, ex-rebel general, that he will not accept Huerta espousing instead the revolutionary program of Vasquez Gomez, the conditions about Parral and other threatening circumstances in Chihuahua make it appear that General Rabago's force of from 2,000 to 3,000 federals cannot be moved far from the vicinity of Chihuahua City.

While Chihuahua the state which promoted Madero's revolution, remains comparatively quiet, this is attributed by many as resulting largely from revolutionary fatigue. Wearied by the protracted insurrection which continued in Chihuahua even after Madero's victory the rebels themselves appear unwilling to continue their habit of contesting the national government.

Yet the old Maderista element is strong in the state and in many ways has disregarded the Huerta regime.

Travelera arriving here today from the west coast reported there was no federal force in Sonora or Sianloa fit to move against Hermosillo. The Sonora state capital is held by more than 2,000 constitutionalists backing up the stand of the state officials. They have fortified the town and possess five machine guns. Nearly every province of Sonora has risen to the call of "states' rights" to oust the Huerta soldiery.

Two Thousand Surrounded.

Mexico City, March 12.—Two thousand followers of Venustiano Carranza, rebel governor of Coahulla are surrounded in the vicinity of Lampazos, Nuevo Leon, by 4,000 federal troops, according to a statement from the war department today. A decisive engagement is expected within a few hours.

Generals Aubert, Blazquez, Anaya and Davila, in command of the federal forces, arrived in the outskirts of Lampazos early today. They are not certain that Carranza is with his followers.

A dozen troop trains left Mexico City for the north this morning. Most of the troops went in the direction of Sonora. They included many detachments of the auxiliary branches of the service besides a full battalion of the seventeenth infantry a machine gun company and a battery of artillery with heavy siege guns. An additional force of three thousand regular troops is to leave this evening for Sonora and by Saturday the government hopes to concentrate a total of 10,000 men against the constitutionalists there.

Simultaneously with the departure of this army for the north, the first heavy movement of troops took place in the country hitherto overrun by followers of Zapata. The detachments thus sent into the state of Morelos included troops under Colonel Ranuel Jasso from Santiago, 500 soldiers under General Javier from Puebla, and 300 men under General Higino Aguilar from the central capital. The three columns will undertake combined action and the operations are to be carried out with the greatest energy.

Indians Take a Hand.

Nogales, Ariz., March 12.—The state of Sinaloa, south of Sonora, has revolted officially against the Huerta's national government and named a provisional governor, according to reports of persons arriving here today from Hermosillo. They also report that the Yaqui Indians of Sonora have volunteered to assist the insurgents.

THREE GUESSES WHY RAILWAY COMPANIES PLAY SANTA CLAUS.

New York, March 12.—Another scheme was added today to the many ways in which New Yorkers are trying to deal a blow at the high cost of living. The New York Railways Company and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company opened this morning the first of a string of six stores, which are designated for the exclusive accommodation of the street car, elevated and subway employes of the city. Each of the 25,000 employes will receive credentials permitting them to buy any article of fancy or staple groceries, meats, fish and other foodstuffs at prices said to be 30 per cent lower than prevailing generally here. It is declared that every article will be sold at cost and all of the expenses paid by the railroad companies.

KINSHIP WITH OLD MR. NAP. BONAPARTE NEW FAD IN FRISCO.

San Francisco, Cal., March 10.—While the Crittenden Memorial Society of San Francisco was running down a reputed grandson of Napoleon Bonaparte in Los Angeles yesterday, other descendents of the great Corsican came to light around San Francisco bay. All are children of the late John Gordon, a San Francisco jeweler, who the Crittenden society affirs, was the son of Napoleon, born at St. Helena. Agitation against the removal of bodies from an old cemetery here resulted in the discovery of Gordon's neglected grave.

STURDY LADDIES FROM VAN WERT CO. GUESTS OF OHIO.

Columbus, O., March 12.—Eighty boys from the farms around Van Wert, Ohio, went to Columbus today in the interest of the market roads convention. They will be under the care of F. P. Edson, of Van Wert, who has arranged for their stay in Columbus.

These are the boys who entered the corn-growing contest last year. Thirty-five of them won the prizes which entitled them to a trip to Washington not long ago. The boys will be met at the interurban depot tomorrow morning by Mayor Karb, several city officials, A. P. Sandles and a platoon of police and welcomed to Columbus.

When Governor Cox starts to Memorial hall to attend the opening of the market roads convention, these 80 farm boys, each carrying a corn stalk as a walking cane, will be the personal escort to the governor.

Miss Edith Campbell, of Cincinnati, will be in charge of the program in the afternoon, and she will be accompanied by Miss Jessie Field, of New York, who will speak on "A Square Deal for Country Boys and Girls."

FILLED NAIL KEG WITH REMAINS OF RAILWAY VICTIM.

Denison, O., March 12.—Mike Valencio, a foreigner, stepped before the fast Pan Handle passenger train near Newcomerstown at 6 o'clock this morning, and in a moment all that remained of him was a nail keg full of pieces. He jumped out of a work car to wait for the work train and did not see the passenger's approach.

ENGINEER SUICIDES.

Cleveland, O., March 12.—Fred Schink, 40, engineer on the coal scow Pittsburg, was found unconscious in the engine room today with a bullet hole in his right temple. He was taken to a hospital but is expected to die.

A revolver lay beside the body when it was found. It is thought Schink committed suicide.

IS IT POSSIBLE?

Key West, Fla., March 12.—Captain Hayden, commandant of the Key West naval station, has received a letter from Cairo, Egypt, stating that the Lloyd's wireless operators in that city had on numerous occasions copied messages sent from the Key West station. It is claimed that this breaks all wireless records, the distance involved being more than 7,000 miles or more than 500 miles further than a former world's record.

Pretty Globe-Trotter Here Friday

DORA RODRIGUES.

A pretty Dutch girl, Dora Rodrigues, aged 20, who has toured Asiatic Turkey, Europe and parts of Africa, will arrive in Lima Friday from Wapakoneta. She will spend one day here with her brother and then walk on to Findlay.

Miss Rodrigues is touring the world. Three and a half years ago she started from Edinburg, Scotland, where she was visiting friends, to walk across Europe. Her brother, Gottard Rodrigues, accompanied her. Later she accompanied her father, a diamond merchant of Amsterdam, to the Kimberly diamond mines. She crossed 250 miles of a desert on the back of a camel and then continued the journey south on foot. Two years ago the pretty girl arrived in New York and walked to Vancouver, then going south to Mexico. She plans to go to New Orleans and then to Panama, but expects to do some riding.

She can walk 25 miles with ease, her brother, who came to Lima today, said.

Miss Rodrigues dresses on her "hikes" in a suit and hat of brilliant geranium red plush with red silk sweater and wears tan shoes, rubber tipped. She is touring the world for the experience and to see things.

BACKHUS IN ROLE OF INFORMER

AS TO ILLEGAL OPERATION OF COLUMBUS BANK.

"Judge Not, Lest Ye Be Judged" Has Come Home to Him.

BROTHER-IN-LAW BANKING METHODS

Whereby a Few Wives and an Occasional Second Cousin

Suddenly Find Themselves in the Exalted Position of Directors.

Columbus, O., March 12.—Through the testimony of Henry W. Backhus, secretary-treasurer and director of the now defunct Columbus Savings and Trust Company, state's attorneys in the alleged illgal deposits graft probe brought out the intimate connection between the management of the big bank and the state treasurer's office.

Under the questioning of Attorney Henry J. Booth, Mr. Backhus told, how at least three former state treasurers were closely connected with the management of the bank, and how their wives and relatives were stockholders in the institution which, the state alleges, carried an average alleged illegal deposit of state funds of more than $90,000 for a period of over four years.

The state developed how I. B. Cameron became president of the bank almost as soon as he retired from the state treasurer's office, and how his successor, the late W. S. McKinnon, almost immediately became a director of the institution. It further developed that Mr. Cameron had been a director and vice president while he was serving as state treasurer.

An entirely new angle of the case was brought out when the state began inquiring into the connection of Homer L. Rose with the bank.

Mr. Rose, now a Canton banker, came to the Columbus institution as assistant secretary and treasurer in 1905—at the time the state bank depository law went into effect. Under questioning Mr. Backhus admitted that Rose was a brother-in-law of Charles C. Green, then cashier under Treasurer McKinnon, and later state treasurer.

Pointed questions by the state's attorneys established the fact that the state depository law became effective at about that time.

To further establish the close connection between the state and the bank Messrs. Booth and McCoy, who are conducting the state's case before Master Commissioner Okey, established the fact that before the bank moved from East Broad street to its present location at Long and High streets, it was directly across the street from the state treasurer's office. They also secured testimony from Mr. Backhus to the effect that he had personally known Mr. McKinnon and Mr. Green for many years.

TRAPPED IN HOUSE FILLED WITH SMOKE AGED WOMAN DIES.

Philadelphia, March 12.—Trapped in a little upstairs back room by flames which damaged a lodging house in the center of the city early today, Mrs. Annie Maguire, an aged pensioner, was rendered unconscious by the smoke and died shortly after being carried to the street. The other women lodgers were overcome and are in a serious condition and two firemen who suffered from the smoke had to be removed to the same institution. The damage to the building was slight.

FLAMES KILL CHILD.

Denison, O., March 12.—The two year old daughter of Mick Orozcky, while playing "Follow the Leader" with older companions at Newcomerstown last night, ran through a bon fire. Her clothing was burned off and she died half an hour later.

WE CAN SCARCELY WAIT!

New York, March 12.—The challenge made by the Royal Ulster Yacht Club on behalf of Sir Thomas Lipton for a race next season for the America's cup will be formally discussed for the first time tonight by the members of the New York Yacht Club, in special meeting at their club house. Although it could not be promised today that a decision as to the acceptance or rejection of the challenge would be reached then it seemed certain that the terms of the challenge will at least become public after this meeting.

SIEGE OF HOLY CITY NEARS END

FORTRESS OF ADRIANOPLE NEARS SURRENDER.

Ranks of Defenders Ravaged by Sickness of Mind and Body.

TURK COMMANDER WARNS SUPERIORS

That One More Week Will Find Him No Longer Able to Resist.

Turkish Ministry, Safe at Home, Unable to Definitely Agree.

London, March 12.—It is expected in Sofia that the Turkish fortress of Adrianople will be entered today by the Bulgarian and Servian besiegers. A private message states that the Bulgarian troops today captured Bertantarla, one of the "key forts" and took 420 prisoners. The Turks resisted stubbornly.

A CRY OF DESPAIR.

Constantinople, March 12.—A despairing cry of "I can hold out only a week longer," was sent in cipher by wireless today from Shukri Pasha, the Turkish commander of Adrianople, to his superior officers here, according to unofficial reports this morning. Shukri, who has held out for many months against the hundreds of siege guns of the Bulgarians and Servians, is said to have informed the Porte in his message than Adrianople is practically at the end of its supplies of food and ammunition, while there is much sickness, especially scurvy and intestinal disorders which are ravaging the ranks of the defenders.

The commander who has offered such a long and gallant defense, urges either that peace negotiations be hastened or that an immediate attempt to relieve the city be undertaken from the Tchatalja lines.

The Turkish ministry is divided in opinion and will have difficulty in reaching any solution of the problem raised by the commander of the besieged fortress.

The ferment aroused by the murder of the late Nazim Pasha continues to threaten internal trouble in Turkey. At a service held here today in memory of Nazim, the officiating Mussulman priest pronounced a malediction on his assassins and on "those who have deceived the sultan of Turkey, the head of the Mussulman faith."

Ask Heavy Price.

Belgrade, Servia, March 12.—The allied Balkan nations have agreed to accept the mediation of the powers, but only on conditions the acceptance of which is unlikely. According to an unofficial announcement today the consent of the allies is contingent on the agreement of Turkey to surrender the fortresses of Adrianople and Scutari and the islands in the Aegean sea and also to pay a war indemnity.

SUDDEN DEATH OF RETIRED ADMIRAL LEADS TO AUTOPSY

Norwell, Mass., March 12.—It became known today that an investigation was begun a few hours after the sudden death last Saturday of Rear Admiral Joseph Giles Eaton, U. S. N., retired.

An autopsy was followed by the announcement today that death was due to inflammation of the stomach. The sheriff added:

"I have nothing to say at this time except that an investigation is being made."

Admiral Eaton was taken ill on Friday and died the next day. He was 65 yers of age and had lived on a farm here since his retirement.

ALLIANCE WOMAN INTENTIONALLY DROWNS IN TUB.

Alliance, O., March 12.—Mrs. C. E. Sax, wife of the principal of the State street school, was found dead in a bath tub at her home last night. She held her head under the faucet with the water turned on until she was drowned.

Mrs. Sax had been suffering from a nervous disorder. She was twenty-eight years old, and is survived by her husband and three children. Mr. Sax formerly was principal of the Kent high school.

FURTHER PROOF THAT THE FARMER HOLDS BALANCE.

Washington, March 12.—The bumper crops of the past year have not only enriched the farmer but they have served to increase the wages of farm laborers. A bulletin issued by the department of agriculture today declares wages paid to such laborers have increased about 3.2 per cent during the year and 7.0 per cent during the past two years.

"Since 1902," the bulletin says, "the increase has been about 34 per cent."

The current average rate of farm wages in the United States when board is included, according to the bulletin, is by the month $20.81; by the day other than harvest $1.14; at harvest. When board is not included the rate is, by the month $29.58; by the day other than harvest $1.47; by the day at harvest $1.87. The wages vary in different parts of the country.

The wages paid farm laborers now, when compared with the average of wages during the 80's are about 33 per cent higher; when compared with the low year of 1894 the present wages are about 65 per cent higher according to the department's figures.

JIMMIE IS WILLIN'.

Columbus, O., Mrch 12.—"I am in favor of a minimum wage scale for women. Action would doubtless be necessary by both the state and federal governments. Co-operation with any friends of the movement will be given by me, and there will be introduced in the legislature tomorrow an administration bill compelling the mercantile houses to file at once a statement of hours of labor and compensation for women."

In the above statement, given out at the executive offices as to his position on the question of a minimum wage for women, Governor Cox announced that Ohio is to take up the fight which is now going on in Illinois—the fixing of a minimum wage scale for the working girl.

STREET CAR CRUSHED IN LIKE SHELL

TWO KILLED AND SEVEN INJURED, THE RESULT.

One More Tragedy Recorded Against Steep Hills at Cincinnati.

CAR CRASHED INTO APARTMENT HOUSE.

Heavy Roof of Porch Falls, Crushing Those Caught Beneath.

Every Person on Ill Fated Car Either Killed or Injured.

Cincinnati, O., March 12.—Garret Coons and Chas. Bierman, both bartenders were killed and seven other persons severely injured today when a College Hill street car outbound from the city jumped the track and crashed into an apartment house at the corner of Ludlow avenue.

The following were injured:

Nathan Chisholm, motorman, bruises and probably internal injuries.

James Glardon, conductor, bruises.

William Hemple, bruises, head cut, serious.

Frank Bender, serious bruises about body and head.

Frank Ritze, bruises about body.

Garret Coons, internal injuries, serious.

Frank Kloyl, body crushed.

Bettie Wallick, colored, body crushed.

The accident came without warning. The car was coming down the steep grade on Clifton avenue, when it suddenly leaped the curve at Ludlow avenue and crashed into the stone porch of the apartment building on the corner.

So great was the impact that the stone pillared porch was torn from its fastening and the heavy roof, falling on top of the car, crushed it in like an egg shell. There were nine persons on the car, including the motorman and conductor, and all were injured.

CITIZENS OF AKRON SWORN IN

TO PROTECT PEOPLE FROM ACTS OF FOREIGNERS.

Labor Trouble Becomes Menace to Hundreds of Human Lives.

SHERIFF PUTS BAN ON STREET PARADES

Workingmen, Merchants, Doctors, Lawyers and Ministers Deputized.

Witness Before Probe Committee Says He Believes in "Sabotage."

Akron, O., March 12.—Five hundred Akron citiezns, including workingmen, merchants, lawyers, doctors and ministers were today sworn in as special deputies by Mayor Rockwell to protect the people of Akron and property from violence in connection with the strike of rubber workers.

Sheriff D. R. Fergusson, today issued an order prohibiting congregating on the streets, or picketing of factories by I. W. W. strikers. The police and deputy sheriffs are ordered to disperse any crowds which congregate. The order does not prohibit the meeting of the I. W. W. strikers scheduled for Grace Park at 2 o'clock but the I. W. W. members are warned that they will be immediately dispersed if any riotous demonstrations are made.

Three hundred police and deputies patroled the down-town streets this morning and no one was permitted to stop on the streets.

The Grace Park meeting this afternoon is to be addressed by Alexander Irvine, of Chicago. W. D. Haywood, who was expected here today telegraphed that he will not arrive until Thursday.

Believes in "Sabotage."

George P. Jinks, former employe of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, and a member of the I. W. W. testified on the stand in the Green senate inquiry this morning that he believes in the principles of the I. W. W. as set forth in the "Red Book," the official pamphlet of the organization and advocates the use of "sabotage" or the destruction of machinery in the factories to compel the employers to meet the demands of the employes.

Jinks says he has been a Socialist ever since he has been old enough to vote and that "sabotage" affords the only weapon for the workers to fight the employing class.

It was because of the advocacy of these measures that the rubber manufacturers of Akron refused to deal with any of the members of the I. W. W.

Foreigners Arrested.

Quiet was restored in Akron this morning following the riot of last night when I. W. W. strikers fired on the police and assaulted workers in Akron rubber factories. The central police station was filled last night. Twenty-one arrests were made. All of those arrested are foreigners and members of the I. W. W.

The down-town streets were patroled last night by hundreds of special police and people were not permitted to congregate on the streets.

Although more than 25 shots were fired by the strikers none of them took effect and the police dispersed the mob by using their clubs. Sheriff Fergusson stated today that if any more disorder developes in the I. W. W. parades he will declare riot law in force and prohibit any further parades or meetings by the strikers.

The I. W. W. is planning for a big meeting in one of the Akron parks this afternoon. It will be addressed by Alexander Irvine and W. D. Haywood, both I. W. W. national organizers.

Headed This Way.

Paterson, N. J., March 12.—William D. Haywood, chief organizer of the Industrial Workers of the world, plans to leave Paterson this afternoon for Akron. He will leave the direction of the silk mill workers' strike here in the hands of Elizabeth Gurley Flynn.

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INSANE MAN SETS PUZZLE

Authorities at Loss How to Proceed With This Non-Resident.

TWO OTHERS ARE ADJUDGED INSANE

Axel F. Bergman and Maria Meeker Sent to Toledo Hospital.

The authorities of the city and county are fearing a little difficulty in the handling of a case that has come before them, which concerns the lunacy of a certain individual not a resident of this county. Joseph Jerome Callahan was arrested by the local police yesterday afternoon on east Wayne street. It was thought at first that he was carrying a heavy load. This was accepted until time showed that it had not the wearing off qualities. The city physician was then summoned, and he decided the man was insane. He was immediately taken to the court of Judge Becker.

Here another difficulty was experienced. The man who is the cause of the trouble is so far from himself that he does not know anything save his name. He tells with great enthusiasm of living first one place, then another, but it is evident to all that he does not know where he is from. He is not a resident of Lima, and as he has not been identified as a resident of the county, it is thought from the general drift of his remarks that he does not belong hereabouts.

An attempt will be made to locate him as the escaped patient of some institution for the feeble-minded. Some belief is prevalent that he is an escaped inmate from the Bellevue hospital, and the authorities there will be communicated with. Meanwhile he has been committed to the county jail. The man when arrested was under the impression that the restaurant keeper who had sold him his dinner had injected electricity into the meal.

FATHER SCHWERTNER COMES BACK TO LIMA

Is Looking Much Better and Says He is Feeling Fine, After His Operation.

Rev. Father Aug. J. Schwertner, pastor of St. John's Catholic church, who submitted to an operation in a hospital at Canton, Ohio, a couple of months ago, later remaining in that city to recuperate, has arrived in Lima. While not recovered from the effects of the operation and the illness attending it, he is looking much better and is feeling fine.

The operation followed a similar one at Lima hospital, made for the purpose of relieving him of an acute attack of appendicitis. Canton is the home of the parents of Father Schwertner.

The parishioners of St. John's church and the public in general, heartily rejoice in his restoration to better health and his return to Lima. During his absence Rev. Father Carl Alter, assistant pastor, was in charge of St. John's parish.

DR. CREIS
AT HOME
ROOM 4
SANFORD BLOCK
OVER HUNTER'S DRUG STORE.
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GIRLS First chance you get stop in at Light & Conner's and see their New Spring Suits, Coats, Dresses and Hats.

IN BRYAN'S ABSENCE.

Lincoln, Neb., March 13.—By the close vote of 45 in favor to 50 against the Nebraska house yesterday defeated the proposed constitutional amendment permitting women to vote.

GUN CLUB SHOOTS FRIDAY.

Charles A. Young, representing the Peters' Cartridge Company, will be a guest of the Lima Gun club at the meeting of their regular shoot tomorrow afternoon.

WHY THEY DO IT.

Melville Drug Company Give Reasons for Selling at Half Price.

It isn't often that we have faith enough in the medicines put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure, said the Melville Drug company to one of their many customers, but we are glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan.

"The Dr. Howard Co., in order to get a quick introductory sale authorized us to sell the regular fifty cent bottle of their specific for half price 25 cents, and although we have sold a lot of it, and guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory."

We are selling the specific at half price, although we cannot tell how long we shall be able to do so. Any person who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a generally run out condition, ought to take advantage of this opportunity. If the specific does not cure them, they can come right back to our store and we will cheerfully refund their

HIGH ENDORSEMENT OF BILL McDONALD AS TEXAS MARSHAL

Washington, March 13.—Captain "Bill" McDonald, body guard to President Wilson during his recent campaign, and a former Texas ranger, is likely to be appointed United States marshal for the northern district of Texas. Senator Shepard and Culberson, of Texas, today sent in their endorsement of Captain "Bill's" candidacy.

Though Captain "Bill" is past middle age, he retains the vigor of the days when he handled the "bad men" in Texas. Captain "Bill's" marksmanship was frequently a subject of discussion when he first undertook to guard Mr. Wilson. One of the senators traveling with Governor Wilson had remarked that Captain "Bill" was expert enough to shoot the eye of a mosquito at 300 yards range which, when put up to Captain Bill for verification later brought the quizzical inquiry from him:

"Which eye?"

MOOSE MEETING TONIGHT.

All members of the Royal Order of Moose are requested to be present at the meeting tonight. Election of officers will be held and a general good time for everybody.

CROWNING GLORY DENIED TEACHERS BY SCHOOL BOARD.

New York, March 13.—Although the plea of Mrs. Katherine C. Edgell, the Brooklyn high school teacher, for a year's leave of absence without pay to bear and rear a child was flatly denied by the board of education last night, Mrs. Edgell believed she has started a campaign for honesty and candor which eventually will receive recognition by the school authorities. In pecuniary way Mrs. Edgell is really the gainer by the refusal of the board to grant her request, for she has filed a physician's certificate as to her health which will entitle her to leave with 90 days' pay in addition to two months' vacation the coming summer.

The action of the board was declared as virtually barring motherhood for teachers. There was talk today of taking the case to the courts but no confirmation of these plans were sustained.

MEXICAN SPY—EMPIRE, TODAY.

SONORA REBS ENCOURAGED

One Thousand Strong, They Attack the Town of Nogales.

FEDERAL GARRISON UNDER HEAVY FIRE

Killed and Wounded Will Reach Several Scores on Both Sides.

Nagales, Ariz., March 13.—Encouraged by federal defeats at interior towns and the bloodless victory yesterday in taking Agua Prieta, 1000 Sonora state troops at daybreak today attacked Nogales, Sonora, opposite this border town and customs port. With promise of reinforcements from General Ojeda's 500 federals, making a force match from the eastward, the 200 men of the Nogales federal garrison made a determined defense.

Many bullets fell in the Arizona town which is divided from Mexico only by a business street. Up to noon one Mexican citizen had been wounded on the Arizona side. Some bullets entered the homes of Americans in Arizona. United States troops rushed from Fort Huachuca were spread along the international line, keeping back the curious. The first charge of the insurrect troops was repulsed with a loss of 15 to 20, the federals claim. The defenders early in the day had lost 17 killed and 11 wounded.

Diaz Prefers Exile.

Naples, Italy, March 13.—General Portirio Diaz declared today that he would not return to Mexico. He arrived here this morning on the Adriatic. He appeared in excellent health. In reply to inquiries, the ex-president said that his only desire was to be allowed to rest quietly.

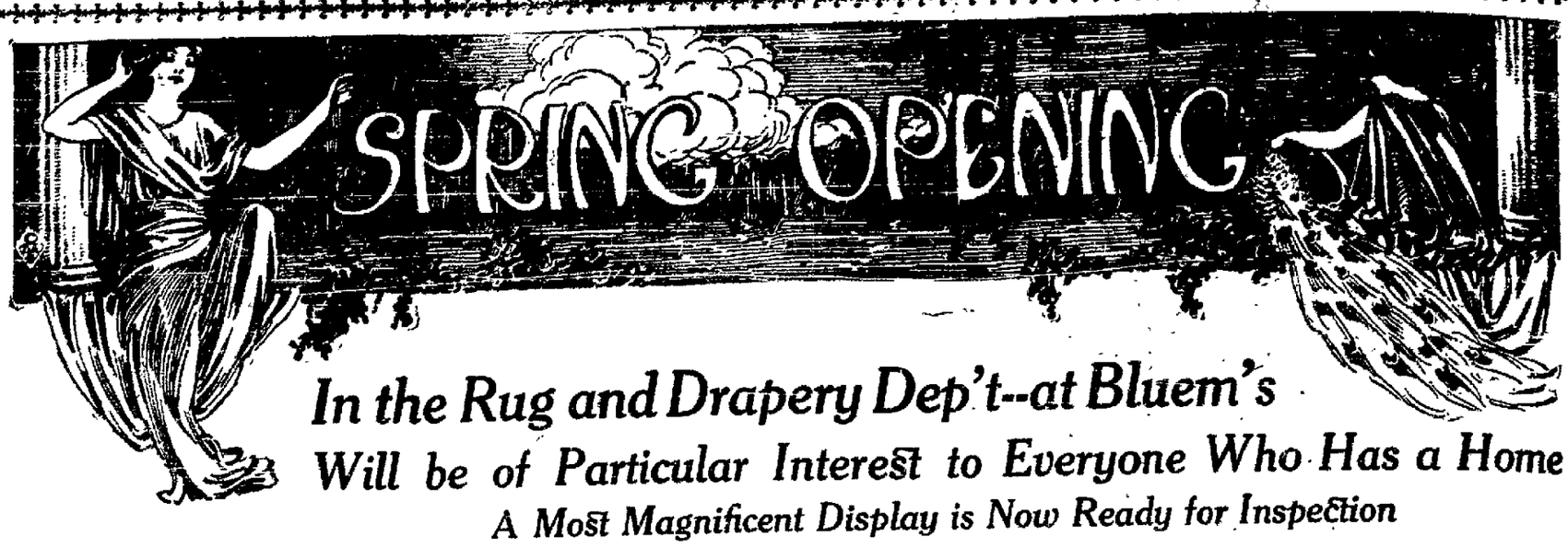
"All my efforts, however," he said, "will be directed toward assisting my country to reach a condition of prosperity. I would go back to Mexico only in case of intervention in that country by the United States. At such a time all Mexican citizens without distinction would be united against the foreign invader."

Former President Taft said General Diaz had given him full assurances that the United States was not planning anything of the kind, "but nobody can tell" he added, "what politics keeps in reserve or what the new American administration may perfect."

Diaz intends to remain here two days.

MEXICAN SPY—EMPIRE, TODAY.

"Do you bake?—Forget it! Buy AMSTERDAM COOKIES from your grocer."



In the Rug and Drapery Dep't--at Bluem's

Will be of Particular Interest to Everyone Who Has a Home

A Most Magnificent Display is Now Ready for Inspection

Every man and woman who owns a home will be interested in the wonderful display of Rugs, Draperies, Curtains and other floor and window furnishings we now have ready for your inspection. No matter if you need furnishings for one room, a cottage or a mansion, you will find most pleasing things here in a very wide assortment of patterns and weaves—something to harmonize with furnishings you already have, and most beautiful things for complete home furnishing. We make a specialty of fitting out homes, public buildings, lodge rooms, etc., with floor coverings and draperies to harmonize. We want you to see our lines now if you are ready to buy or not. Come in often and get acquainted with the new styles and ideas. Information freely given.

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All the Best Makes---Priced Right

We are showing the largest stock of rugs by far, that we have ever carried. It includes only the very best makes, and in all the newest patterns and colorings. Something suited to every room in the house, and at almost any price you might wish to pay.

Our Rugs come in the following sizes: 4.6x7.6 ft., 6x9 ft., 8.3x10.6 ft., 9x9 ft., 9x12 ft., 6x12 ft., 10.6x12 ft., 11.3x12 ft., 10.6x13.6 ft., 11.3x15 ft, and 9x15 ft

Wilton Rugs come in the following makes—French Wiltons, Royal Kashan, Herati, Bundhar, Hardwick, Savalan and Trewan. All best quality, and beautiful patterns. Regular and odd sizes. Prices range from **$25.00 to $60.00.**

Body Brussels Rugs, all the best makes, all sizes, all colors, new patterns, **at $25.00 to $31.50** for 9x12 ft. rugs. Other sizes at corresponding prices.

Axminster Rugs in Bigelow and Sanford makes, all regular sizes, **at $16.50 to $27.50** for 9x12 ft. rugs. Other sizes priced accordingly.

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POLICE COURT.

The crusade against excessive speed in the driving of automobiles and motorcycles in and about the streets of the city is being carried on with energy. For the past some time the auto drivers have been reminded that their speed must be more temperate. One of the leading real estate men of the city forgot to hold off the power last evening. This morning Elmer D. Webb appeared and passed over to His Honor $10 and costs.

Six answered to the daily roll call this morning when their names were read before the court, and each of them responded to the charge of drunk. One of these, though in company with two others were picked up near the St. John's church, convinced the officers that he was not carrying a package and he was released. His companions Michael Dawson and William O'Shannessy were assessed one dollar and costs.

Mollie Dorr and Joe Callahan were two more who were invited in last night, and slept over until they were better fit for the street. Each received the popular $1 and costs. Another, the last of the offenders in this category, was one Bert Ball, who had stowed away a large quantity of liquor, and enjoying the effects, made merry to an extreme degree on the public streets. He was picked up and put away until some of his friends relieved him by furnishing bond. He was assessed the maximum this morning.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. George Diemer, of west Spring street, left today for Fort Wayne, Ind., where Friday morning she will submit to an operation at St. Joseph hospital. Friends of Mrs. Diemer are hoping for her speedy recovery, following the trying ordeal.

Kirk Brice, son of the late Senator Calvin S. Brice was a visitor in this city yesterday, shaking hands with his friends. He left in the afternoon for New York City.

Fabian Watley, who has been located in Lima for some time, engaged as the purchasing agent for the Willys-Gramm Motor Truck Company here, has resigned his position with this company. The resignation will take effect at once, and Mr. Watley will leave Lima on Saturday for California. He expects to locate there. It is with regret that his many friends here will learn of this move, which he will make so soon. Watley has been in Lima but a short time, but has made a great many friends, and stands very high in the estimation of all with whom he has come in contact.

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The regular meeting of Trinity chapter this evening will be a reception to the new members, with a program and social. Let every member be present. Also members of the Order in the city are cordially invited to be present.

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LAUNCH OUT STATE MEET

Former President Tells of Duties Necessary for Big Success.

REV. H. FERGUSON SPEAKS TO CROWD

Assembled at the First United Brethren Last Evening.

Christian Endeavors of Lima and Allen county, to the number of nearly two hundred, listened with interest last night at the First United Brethren church, when Rev. Huber Ferguson, of Xenia, former state president of the Ohio Christian Endeavor society, told of the work of entertaining the convention, the necessary steps to be taken and the good which was bound to result, not alone to the Allen county union and Lima church, but to the city as well.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson urged that the preliminary pledges for financing the big meet, be secured early and the money be on hand long before June to start the convention rolling. He also urged prompt, strong and efficient work from every member of the union. About six thousand Endeavorers from all parts of the state, will be in Lima the last week in June for the annual convention.

The Lima Progressive Association will furnish gratis Memorial hall and the decorations which will be flung to the breeze to show that Lima is truly holding out the glad hand of welcome. The societies making up the union hope to finance the meet without further depending upon the Progressive Association for funds.

The success of the gathering is already assured. Lima will do the generous act and those in attendance at the state convention may count upon one of the most profitable and pleasant meetings in the history of the state association.

DR. COSTELLO WILL LEAVE

District Tuberculosis Hospital Institution as Superintendent.

QUIET LIFE APPEALS TO DOCTOR AND WIFE

Friends Are Hoping to Still Claim Them as Residents.

Dr. J. W. Costello, superintendent of the district tuberculosis hospital, southwest of Lima, has tendered his resignation to the joint board of commissioners and trustees of the five counties making up the district. Dr. and Mrs. Costello, who have given efficient services as superintendent and matron, respectively, of the institution, will seek a more quiet life and a much needed rest at the close of their term of service.

The district consists of five counties, Shelby, Auglaize, Mercer, Van Wert and Allen being included. The institution is governed by the commissioners from each of these counties and a board of trustees, made up of one man from each of the counties.

The term of B. C. Conn, of Van Wert county, expires this spring and his successor will be chosen. This will again make the membership of the board complete, other members being ex-Senator J. D. Johnson, of Celina representating Mercer county; Dr. A. E. Yates, of Sidney, representing Shelby county; Dr. D. W. Steiner, of Lima, representing Allen county, and C. W. Williamson, of Wapakoneta, representing Auglaize county.

The joint board will meet Monday, April 7, at the tuberculosis hospital, at which time the successor of Dr. Costello will be chosen. Dr. and Mrs. Costello came here from Sidney and it is hoped may continue to make Lima their home.

Mrs. Costello is a member of the Womens' Music club, and both she and her husband are much appreciated in a large circle of friends among whom they move.

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RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE ON THE DEATH OF ELIZABETH O'CONNOR.

Whereas it has seemed pleasing to an all wise Providence to again visit the Division of our Order and in the taking away by death of Elizabeth O'Connor to bring sorrow and affliction to our past worthy and esteemed division president, Daniel M. O'Connor, father of the deceased; and,

Whereas the fraternal relations existing between Div. No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians and Bro. O'Connor render it proper that we, his brother associates, express our deepest sympathy and sorrow in the deep affliction that has befallen Bro. O'Connor, wife and family in the severing of loving bonds that united the fair young life with father, mothers, brothers and sisters, but with the firm belief in our Holy faith that we will all meet in a better world,

Therefore, be it resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our meeting, a copy be transmitted to the deceased's loving parents, brothers and sisters, also a copy furnished the daily papers of our city for publication.

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FIRE CHIEF MACK GOES TO COLUMBUS

Deputy Fire Marshal in the City Investigating Origin of Recent Fires.

Fire Chief John Mack went to Columbus Tuesday on business connected with the Ohio State Fire Chiefs' association. During his absence, Assistant Chief Clem Eysler is in command of the city fire fighting crew.

Deputy State Fire Marshal Thieman, of Minster, arrived in Lima to make investigation into the origin of recent fires in this locality which are of a suspicious nature. He refused to make public the result of his investigation at this time.

"THE ROSE MAID" WALTZ—A WHISTLING FAVORITE.

Since the great success of "The Rose Maid," Werba and Luescher's latest big operatic production which is booked for the Faurot on Saturday afternoon and night, its fascinating musical numbers have become the whistling favorites in every city where it has been heard. The most talked about melody, "Roses Bloom for Lovers," is known on both sides of the Atlantic, with its pretty chorus:

"Roses bloom for lovers
'Neath a sky of blue,
In each petal hovers
Honey, wet with dew;
Faint hearts beat the stronger
Under their perfume,
Love will linger longer,
Where the roses bloom."

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ROY WETHERILL HOST.

Board meeting of the Second St. Sunday school was held at the home of Roy Wetherill on Holmes avenue Monday evening. Seventeen officers were present. After the business of the evening Mrs. Constein and Miss Alta Thim rendered musical numbers which were highly appreciated.

A special feature at Second St. on Easter morning will be the picture of the entire school being taken. Every parent is urged to have their children in attendance on that morning.

At this time the school will sing Chas. H. Gabriel's celebrated Glory Song in the outdoor meeting.

Every Sunday school scholar is cordially invited to attend the Thursday evening prayer service.

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GERRYMANDER BILL SPRUNG

Re-arrangement of Districts Within Boundaries of Ohio

CUTS ALLEN COUNTY IN 8TH DISTRICT

With Marion, Hardin, Wyandot, Hancock and Wood Counties.

After obtaining at Washington the approval of a majority of the democratic congressmen and of the state organization, headed by State Chairman Finley, Representative D. Duane Fulton of Licking introduced the long deferred gerrymander bill in the Ohio legislature. It carves out 11 democratic districts and 11 republican districts, according to the Wilson-Bryan vote of 1908. According to the Wilson-Taft-Roosevelt vote of 1912, the Fulton bill would make 18 democratic districts, three republican districts—the Tenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth—and one Moose district, the Nineteenth.

The bill, of course, abolishes the position of congressman-at-large held by Robert Crosser of Cleveland. The additional congressman, under the apportionment, goes to Cuyahoga county, which, with Geauga and Lake, is divided into three districts. Of these three districts, two are democratic and one republican, under the 1908 vote. Hamilton county will continue to be divided into two districts. The division is so altered as to insure the Second district being democratic. The first would be republican under ordinary circumstances. Figures of population of the Cuyahoga and Hamilton districts were not available last night. The only district not changed by the proposed gerrymander is the Twelfth, Franklin county.

Counties, population and political complexion under the 1908 vote of the Third to Nineteenth districts, inclusive, follow.

Third District—Butler and Montgomery counties, population, 234,-4, democratic plurality, 2853.

Fourth—Dark, Miami, Shelby, Auglaize, Mercer population, 195,240, democratic plurality, 5141.

Fifth—Van Wert, Putnam, Pauldin, Defiance, Williams, Fulton, Henry; population, 180,650; democratic plurality, 2887.

Sixth—Adams, Highland, Brown, Clermont, Warren, Clinton, Greene; population, 185,159, republican plurality, 4343.

Seventh—Fayette, Madison, Clark, Champaign Logan, Union, Delaware; population, 213,569; republican plurality, 8140.

Eighth—Marion, Hardin, Allen, Wyandot, Hancock, Wood, population, 226,908; democratic plurality, 2743.

Ninth—Lucas, Ottawa, population, 215,879; republican plurality, 1380.

Tenth—Scioto, Lawrence, Gallia, Jackson, Meigs, Athens, population, 217,879, republican plurality, 12,-209.

Eleventh—Pike, Ross, Pickaway, Fairfield, Perry, Hocking, Vinton, population 193,293, democratic plurality, 2142.

Twelfth—Franklin, population, 21,567; republican plurality, 5600.

Thirteenth—Crawford, Seneca, Huron, Erie, Sandusky; population, 184,161, democratic plurality, 4236.

Fourteenth—Muskingum, Licking, Coshocton, Knox, Morrow, Richland; population, 237,862, democratic plurality, 970.

Fifteenth—Washington, Morgan, Noble, Monroe, Guernesey, Tuscarawas; population, 204,115; republican plurality, 659.

Sixteenth—Belmont, Harrison, Jefferson, Columbiana, population, 217,690; republican plurality, 6869.

Seventeenth—Ashland, Holmes, Wayne, Stark, Carroll, population, 217,690; democratic plurality, 841.

Eighteenth—Lorain, Medina, Summit, Portage; population 238,195; republican plurality, 5227.

Nineteenth—Mahoning, Trumbull, Ashtabula; population, 228,462; republican plurality, 8591.

MEN OF GRACE CHURCH.

The men of Grace Methodist church will meet Thursday evening to make plans and carry out the following program of the Laymen's Missionary convention. The splendid work of our ladies in handling the supper of the convention is a challenge to the men of the church to do their work as well. Let every man be present at 7:30 Thursday evening. The pastor will open the meeting with a talk on the work of David Livingston.

Some one said, "I believe I could eat a barrel of them." He was talking about PERFECTION WAFERS. Your grocer sells them three pounds for a quarter, or 10c per lb. At your grocers.

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FUNERAL RITES HELD OVER PETER WELLER

Large Following of Friends Meet to Pay Last Respects

TO THE MEMORY OF A VALUED CITIZEN.

Rev. H. C. Schlueter Eulogized Man Whose Death is Keenly Felt.

The last rites over all that was mortal of the late Peter Weller, were held this afternoon at the German Reformed church, where for so many years he gave his services as a member of the choir. Brief services were held at 1:15 o'clock at the family home at 673 north Elizabeth street, after which the body was conveyed to the church, for the final services. The Men's league of the church, of which the deceased was a charter member, acted as escort for the body.

Bearing the pall were Messrs. F. C. Hoegner, Charles Braun, Thomas Burkhardt, Frederick Frey, Charles Hossellman and George Kline.

At the church the choir sang, "Thy Will Be Done" by Weber, and "Abide With Me" by Monk. The Mannerchor of the church, with which Mr. Weller was also identified and in which he took so much interest, sang "At Home," by Breiter.

The Lima Orion Mannerchor, of which Mr. Weller was also a member, sang at the grave.

The services were conducted by Rev. (Dr.) H. C. Schlueter, his pastor, who paid the following noble tribute to the deceased:

"Behold, I die, but God shall be with you."—Gen. 48:21.

I rise to perform one of the saddest duties to which I have been called. It has become my duty to deliver a discourse, in commemoration of the life and service of one very dear to us all, but, if I may be allowed to say it, especially dear to me. We mourn today, my brethren, the loss of no ordinary man. Peter Weller, a very kind and faithful husband and father, a devoted member of our church, the choir, the Maennerchor and the Men's league; a highly respected German citizen, a faithful and conscientious officer of one of the largest and well known business establishments of our city, is no more! Did I say, no more? I correct myself. He is no more among us. His unusual, interesting, active, useful life has come an end among men.

Yet he lives! He lives in the recollection of thousands, to whom he was endeared by the strongest ties of affection, and who will venerate his memory as a sincere, true and faithful man.

It is the Lord; His will be done. The blow has stunned us all. Had we no faith and no trust in Him who conquers even the last enemy, the "victory of the grave" which calls us together here today would fill our hearts with despair. And even with all the light which the word of God gives us, we can still only say, "His way is in the sea, and His path in the deep waters." We shall know hereafter what He doeth; but we know not now.

"The ways of God are little known
To our weak erring sight,
Yet shall our souls, believing, own
That all His ways are right."

I notice but one sorrow, which is everywhere breaking forth in tears, because this strong, industrious, good, kind, faithful, sympathetic and whole-hearted man lies before us in the prime of life in the last house he is to occupy on earth.

He died suddenly. There was no dying scene of which I may speak to you. Just before the Angel of the Dawn opened the gates of morning on Sunday, March 9th, the Angel of the Lord overstooped his pillow and whispered the summons of departure. Of that going he had apprehensions, for he had often remarked to his friends that he would die suddenly, but that he expected to live to be old.

When the doctor searched for the cause of his sudden death, he discovered that it had resulted from a severe attack of heart trouble. The life currents had broken their channel and in a moment he was gone. His death remind us of the truth expressed in the song.

"Who knows how near my life's expended?
Time flies, and death is hasting on.
How soon, my term of trial ended,
May heave my last expiring groan!
For Jesus' sake, when flesh shall fail,
O, God, with me may all be well."

The best of all is God is with us, with us in life, with us in the hour of trial, with us in sorrow and affliction, and with us in death. "I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me." "Behold, I die; but God shall be with you." The time of my departure is at hand. I must now leave you, my dear wife and children, and friends, but God shall be with you. I die but God lives. I leave you but God will never leave, nor forsake you. God will be your Father, provider, counselor, your best Friend.

"Our God is true! Them He will ne'er forsake
For whom His love He shows;
Our God is true! We shall His care partake
In all our joys and woes.
His wings will spread their shelter o'er us,
Though mountains quake, earth yawn before us,
Our God is true!

Our God is true! He is a faithful Friend,
We from experience know;
And rest assured, He will our souls defend
From every watchful foe
His covenant love gives no denial
To humble faith in hours of trial—
Our God is true!"

Therefore, lift up your heads ye mournful, dry your tears, ye children of a Father who never dies. Look up, hear, believe, and trust! Your God and Father calls you, and says to you:

"Come, ye disconsolate!
Where'er ye languish,
Come to the mercy seat,
Fervently kneel!
Here bring your wounded hearts
Here tell your anguish,
Earth has no sorrow
That Heav'n cannot heal."

The church was filled with friends of the deceased to pay their last respects. The body was laid to rest at Woodlawn, there to await the final summons from the dead.

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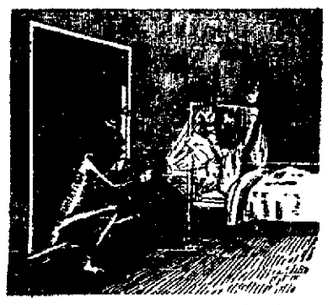

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(Annex—Second floor)

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THE ORPHEUM.

But two more opportunities are offered, tonight at 7 and 9 o'clock to see what crowded houses have pronounced one of the best bills ever seen at the Orpheum. It will be the last opportunity this season to see "Happy" Golden, Dick Duffy and the Britton Brothers in their laughable black face act, "The Conservatory of Music." Rudy and Snow in new songs and a line of comedy talk are also too good to miss and you wouldn't want to lose the opportunity to witness the wonderful target shooting of the Georgalas brothers. Fay and Lennion have a good character change act and new songs and Lee Danivas and the "Candy Kid" will interest you in their new and different contortion work. The two performances Wednesday evening will close this big bill—and everyone who has seen it will advise you not to miss it.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The Political Equality club met the 11th of March and elected officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. W. E. Crayton; vice president, Mrs. Wm. Melville; secretary, Mrs. Frank Van Horn; treasurer, Mrs. Z. A. Crosson.

NOTICE.

The Lookout Ladies of Grace church will hold their regular monthly business meeting in the church tabernacle Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Every member is invited to be present.

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Stars Defeated by Oswego in Fast Game Last Night.

LARGE CROWD SAW EXCEPTIONAL GAME

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In one of the fastest games that has been staged on the local floor during the past season, the Lima White Stars went down to defeat last evening at the hands of the quintette from Co. D. of Oswego, N. Y. The game was a contest from the very start. The locals forced the play at the start, and for a little time held the lead in the score. The floor work was fast on the part of each aggregation but the visitors experienced a great deal of trouble in keeping their footing on the slippery floor. The score increased as the game progressed, for some time each team scoring about evenly. Then the visitors began to slowly forge ahead of the locals, and with consistent passing and accurate shooting they caged the ball many times more than did the locals. As the game went further and the visitors got a greater lead, the White Stars seemed to lose confidence in themselves.

In the second half there was a decided tendency on the part of Lima to fall back upon a defensive game, and relying on most of their men for guarding tactics, their floor work consequently became much slower that usual. They succeeded in holding the visitors to a lesser number of goals in this half, though the weight was again in favor of the New Yorkers. The Oswego team deserves well the reputation which has preceded them on this trip. Though all young men, they come well into the class of the Buffalo Germans, and those players who already have a world-wide reputation.

The playing of the Lima team seemed from soon after the start to be fraught with a determination to win. This perhaps more than all else helped them to lose. The boys could not seem to get together, and the passing, particularly back in the Lima territory, was a bit ragged. The floor work of the guards and center was the best feature of the White Stars playing.

The line-up and score:

Lima 29		Oswego 52
M. Bowman	f.	Murnane
H. Bowman	f.	Alberding
Bolin	c.	Grimstad
O'Connor	g.	Roberts
Callahan	g.	Murphy

Substitutions—Buescher for H. Bowman. Scoring—M. Bowman, 9; H. Bowman, 4; Bolin, 10; O'Connor, 2; Callahan, 2; Murnane, 10; Alberding, 10; Grimstad, 10; Roberts, 14; Murphy, 8; Buescher, 2. Official—Swan. Timekeeper—Butler. Scorekeeper—Algirea.

BEATS WILDCAT WITH LIGHT.

Catamount Attacks Miner and Is Repulsed by Lamp Flame.

As Elmer Gross of Shamokin, Pa., was returning from work at a colliery recently a wildcat, large and heavy as a bulldog, sprang at him from the bushes.

Gross sidestepped the animal and, jerking a lighted miner's lamp from his hat, thrust the blaze into the face of the cat, which ran away, but soon returned and followed Gross half a mile toward his home at Tharptown.

Gross got a rifle, but the cat had disappeared

Bluejays Displace Alarm Clock.

Albert P. Stark, a policeman of Bristol, Conn., no longer needs an alarm clock. He is awakened every morning by a flock of bluejays he has fed all winter. He was feeding his chickens last November when he noticed a bluejay and threw some grain to the bird. The next morning the bluejay was back, with a companion, for more. Every morning thereafter there was a recruit, until the flock now numbers twenty.

NEVADA TO USE RIFLES FOR KILLING MURDERERS.

Victims in Steel Cage Face Guns With Maxim Silencers.

The authorities of the Nevada state prison practically have completed arrangements for the first legal shooting of murderers under the new law providing for the choice between that and hanging by the condemned men. Two such recently chose that mode, a third, Nimrod Urie, selected hanging. Three Maxim silencers, three rifles and a steel cage have settled the question of how to execute the two murderers who chose shooting.

The equipment which, unless the board of pardons of the supreme court interferes, will end the life of J. Frank Trammer and Andrew Mircovic on March 7 has been received at the prison. The condemned men will sit inside a steel framework on which will be trained three rifles to which have been attached the Maxim silencers. The rifles will be aimed directly at the hearts of the victims. Nothing will be visible but the muzzles of the guns, and the legal witnesses who will watch the execution will not know when the death dealing volley is to be fired.

GIRL A PRISONER IN PLASTER.

Admirer Attempts to Make Cast of Her Face—She Nearly Smothers.

A student at Caen, France, fell in love with a pretty actress and persuaded her recently to let him take a plaster cast of her head and shoulders in order that he might perpetuate her beauty in marble.

Having prepared about twenty pounds of plaster, the student applied it, begging the girl to bear bravely the discomforts of the operation. Presently the plaster began to set, and the girl found breathing difficult. Feeling faint, she called on her admirer to remove the plaster, but it stuck fast. Then she shrieked that she was dying.

The young man rushed for the doctor. On the arrival of the physician he looked at the girl, then said calmly: "It's not a doctor you want; it's a mason."

A mason was found and with hammer and chisel began, amid many heartrending appeals from the imprisoned model, to chip her out.

The incident put an end to the student's romance, for the actress is now suing her blundering admirer for damages, and the landlord of the studio has entered claim for compensation for the damage caused on the premises during the extrication of the model.

WOMAN ASKS FOR NEW BRAIN.

She Applies at Institute, Seeking Superior Mental Equipment.

A woman who said she was Miss Emily Jane, a schoolteacher, fifty-five years old, called at the Rockefeller institute, in New York, recently and informed Dr. Swift that she wished to have a new brain to replace her own. She said also that she desired a new character, a most superior one. She explained that she had just arrived from Boston, having selected the Rockefeller institute for her needs because of its reputation for remarkable surgical feats.

Dr. Swift asked her to wait and then got Dr. McRoberts from Bellevue hospital. The latter took the woman there, where she was placed in the psychopathic ward. At the hospital she said her name was Emily Jane Clarke and that she had lived at 47 Bellevue street, Boston.

WOULD BREED STRIPED RATS.

Biologist to Use Burbank Method on Rodents and Birds.

Applying to a colony of rats the principle used with such marvellous success by Luther Burbank in various forms of plant life, George B. Culver, head of the biological department of the Los Angeles high school, expects to produce a breed of varicolored rats with zebra stripes.

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Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

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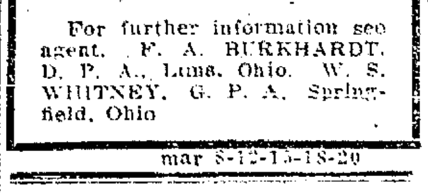

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"DIVORCE IS A FORM OF POLYGAMY"—ABDUL HAMID.

Deposed Sultan of Turkey Discusses Women of the East and West.

An interesting selection of chapters from the diary of Abdul Hamid, the ex-sultan of Turkey, appears in the March number of the Review Nord und Sud, in Berlin. Giving his views on women, the ex-sultan says:

"The countless divorces and scandals in Europe and America show that many men in those countries incline to polygamy.

"The west," he goes on, "has an entire misapprehension regarding the position of woman in Turkey. Even though woman is fortunately debarred from taking part in Turkish public life and compelled to leave everything to men, at any rate she is the autocrat at home.

"As I observe the stern and imperious faces of western women," says the former ruler, "comparison with them easily favors our women.

"Why do the people of the west criticise our women? Which is the more sacrificing or the more beautiful, the oriental woman or the European?

"In Turkey a woman belongs to her home. She belongs to a man alone. In Europe she has too many liberties to remain womanly. If only half of what one reads in newspapers and books about western women is true then the lot of men there must be truly lamentable."

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For a Diplomatic Position Under the Federal Government.

The political world is full of all sorts of rumors as to probable appointees for various positions within the gift of the democratic administration. Among the rumors is one that former State Senator M. D. Shaw, for many years a resident of Lima and since his removal from here a resident of Wapakoneta, is an active candidate for register of the treasury, and that Senator Daniel F. Mooney is to be given a South American diplomatic position.

In yesterday's Cincinnati Enquirer appears the following special from Washington concerning the applications of Ohio people for federal positions to be presented by Senator Pomerene:

"From a long list of applications for offices under the Wilson administration Senator Pomerene has culled a choice lot which he will formally present to various cabinet officers tomorrow with indorsement. Instead of making his round of patronage calls today he made engagements for tomorrow and busied himself with his little list. He will go to the state and interior departments in the morning, and to the treasury in the afternoon.

"Four Cincinnatians will be recommended for appointment. Pomerene will ask Secretary Bryan to appoint Archibald S. White, of Cincinnati, ambassador either to Rome or Vienna; Samuel F. Cary, head of the Cincinnati municipal bureau of information, minister to Paraguay or Uruguay, and Dr. L. D. Meader, minister to either Venezuela or Colombia, and will ask Secretary McAdoo to name Walter W. Warwick, of Cincinnati, who was a member of President Taft's efficiency and economy commission, assistant comptroller of the treasury. President Taft nominated Warwick for the latter position, but the senate did not confirm him.

"Upon recommendation of Representative Gard, of the third Ohio district, Senator Pomerene submitted to Postmaster-General Burleson today the name of Forest L. May as postmaster at Dayton.

"The senator also transmitted to Burleson Gard's selections of John L. Baker as postmaster at Middletown, and William B. Mayer for the Oxford office. In addition he decided to recommend Clarence W. Greer, of the Montgomery county board of elections, for the position of surveyor of the port at Dayton.

"Tomorrow Pomerene will submit his longest list of recommendations to the secretary of state. In addition to the Cincinnatians mentioned above, he will ask that Clement Carpenter, of Toledo, be named minister to Chile.

Nathan P. Clyburn, of Chillicothe, wants to succeed Rose E. Holaday, of Ohio, consul to Santiago, Cuba. Sloane Gordon, formerly of Cincinnati, has Pomerene's indorsement to succeed James Linn Rodgers, of Ohio, consul at Havana, Cuba.

"Former Representative M. R. Gantz, of Troy, wants a consulship, preferring also to go to Havana. His name will be submitted to Secretary Bryan for something in the consular line. Solomon Johnson, of Stryker, Ohio, will be recommended for the consul generalship to Sydney, Australia. Rev. Joseph E. Maxwell, of Cleveland, will be recommended for a consulship, but has not picked the place. State Senator Daniel F. Mooney, of St. Marys, will be indorsed for a diplomatic berth in some South American country or any one of the minor kingdoms or principalities in Europe.

"M. E. Worley, of Defiance, is on the list for the appointment as consul general to Melbourne, Australia, and Samuel N. Schwartz, member of the Cleveland board of elections, for minister to Switzerland. Pomerene also will ask Secretary Bryan to give favorable consideration to Roger C. Tredwell, son-in-law of Dr. Charles A. L. Reed, of Cincinnati, who was promoted by President Taft from consular assistant to consul at Erfurt, Germany, last month, but whose appointment was not confirmed by the senate.

"At the treasury department Pomerene will ask Secretary McAdoo to name D. S. Creamer, of St. Clairsville, to succeed United States Treasurer Carmi A. Thompson, and will recommend the appointment of M. D. Shaw, of Wapakoneta, as register of the treasury. Shaw is indorsed by Representative Goeke, of Ohio.

"Pomerene received the name of Judge Garrett S. Claypool, of Chillicothe, today as a candidate for solicitor in the navy. A. L. Thurman, of Columbus, grandson of the late Senator Allen G. Thurman, appeared here today as a candidate for an assistant attorneyship in the department of justice.

"At the interior department he will add his indorsement to that of the Ohio delegation in the house for Dr. D. C. Gentsch, of New Philadelphia, for pension commissioner. Gentsch is making a strong run for the job and appears to stand a good chance against his many competitors all of whom are also very active. He personally presented his papers to Secretary Lane today.

"Representative Alfred G. Allen, of Cincinnati, called upon Secretary Bryan today in the interest of Samuel F. Cary and upon Secretary McAdoo to indorse Walter W. Warwick as assistant comptroller."

You can say goodbye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by all dealers.

LYRIC THEATRE.

The Barrett Players in their excellent production of "The Barrier" are making a fine impression at the Lyric theatre the first three days of this week. Many people have the wrong impression that "The Barrier" is the same as "Barrier's Burned Away." Such is not the case. "The Barrier" is dramatized from Rex. Beach's great book, "The Barrier," an interesting story of life in Alaska. For the last half of the week, the Barrett Players will offer the comedy drama, "A Country Boy" with Mr. Frank Morris as the boy. Last performance of "The Barrier" tonight.

AN EPIDEMIC OF COUGHING

is sweeping over the town and young and old alike affected. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a quick safe reliable family medicine for coughs and cold. A. S. Jones, of Lee Pharmacy, Chico, Calif., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has no equal, and I recommend it as containing no narcotics or other harmful properties."

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ALBERT'S

Orpheum Building

OPEN EVENINGS

BIDS FOR NEW PLANT

Will be Received by School Board Not Later Than April 15th.

PLANS MUST ACCOMPANY BIDS.

Discussion of Heating Plant for High School Consumed Much Time.

Considerable time was spent by the board of education last evening in determining the best plan to pursue in awarding the contract for the installation of the heating and ventilating system in the high school work upon which will be started before the present school year is over. The meeting was the longest in months, lasting until after 10 o'clock, and almost the entire time was spent in consideration of this matter.

After a lengthy discussion, in which all members of the board as well as three contractors who are figuring on bidding on the work participated, it was decided to advertise at once for bids, to be submitted to the board not later than March 15. A special session will be called to award the contract at that time.

All contractors submitting bids on the work must accompany their bids with plans and specifications of their own making, all of which will be submitted to an expert heating engineer to determine whether or not they are feasible. The selection of an engineer will be made at a subsequent meeting of the board.

The matter was introduced by means of a report, submitted to the board by J. W. Gensel, chairman of the building and repairs committee, who recommended the selection of W. M. Kingsbury, chief engineer of the Cleveland schools, as expert engineer to prepare plans and specifications for the heating and ventilating system.

While not assailing the report of the chairman, Rudy protested against the appointment of an engineer who was not fully competent to judge the merits of a heating system for the building. He dwelt upon the fact that a number of school boards had been deceived by alleged expert engineers who did not have a practical knowledge of the work, and he urged the board to profit by the experiences which they had undergone.

Upon the recommendation of President Pence, the three contractors present at the meeting were invited to address the board, giving their ideas as to the contemplated plan to have an engineer prepare the plans. The three included W. A. Clark, of this city, of the firm of Clark and Jones, Theodore Scheid, of Bluffton, and C. Baker, of Toledo, representative of the American Warming and Ventilating Company, of Toledo. Scheid and Baker will bid together on the work, Scheid to do the plumbing and the Toledo Company to furnish the equipment.

Each of the three unanimously agreed upon one proposition, namely, that the firm to whom the contract was awarded should prepare its own plan and follow out its own ideas. While each speaker made a strong plea for the contract, still they were all united in discouraging the selection of an engineer to draw the plans for the work.

Clark volunteered to submit his plans to the head engineers of Cornell or Purdue Universities, but absolutely refused to allow engineers of less recognized standing to pass upon the plans and specifications of his company. Neither Scheid nor Baker mentioned any particular engineer to whom their plans should be submitted, but each in his talk made it plain that they were not in favor of having the merits of their plans judged by incompetent and theoretical engineers.

After considerable discussion on the part of the members, a motion by Rev. Miller, specifying that each contractor should submit his bid accompanied by his own plans all of which should be left to the scrutiny of an engineer to be selected by the board, passed by a unanimous vote.

Rudy followed with a motion that the clerk should be instructed to advertise at once for bids, all of which should be in the hands of the clerk not later than April 15, which carried unanimously.

The system to be installed will serve not only the east wing of the high school, now nearing completion, but the entire high school building as well. The present system has been a failure, and was not installed according to the specifications outlined when the contract was awarded. Each contractor informed the board, that in the event the contract was awarded to him that as much as possible of the equipment now in use would be used in the new work, thus decreasing the cost of installation.

Litigation Withdrawn.

Upon motion of Gensel, City Solicitor Jackson was ordered to take steps to have the litigation pending in the circuit court involving the status of Janitor Lucius Berry dismissed.

The board took such action upon the recommendation of the city solicitor, who informed them that the decisions returned by the supreme court of Ohio and inferior courts had countenanced a liberal interpretation of the law affecting the civil service system, under which Berry secured a temporary injunction restraining the board from dismissing him and holding back his salary.

The injunction was later made permanent when the case was heard upon its merits before Judge Lawton in the court of common pleas, but at the request of the board, an appeal was taken from the decision to the circuit court.

Berry has been in the employ of the board for more than three years, which entitles him to consideration under the civil service laws, which provide that no janitor can be dismissed unless charges were filed against him and substantiated. The city solicitor explained that the board has recourse in the event that any janitor does not perform his duty faithfully, and that the board was losing nothing by having the suit withdrawn.

Award Contract.

Upon motion of Chairman I. J. Miller of the law and contract committee, the Wentworth-Dean Company was awarded the contract for installing the electrical fixtures in the new addition to the high school building upon their bid of $662. Harry Tibbott, the only other bidder for the work, fixed his price at $750.

Before this motion was adopted the building and repairs committee reported that the bid of the Wentworth-Dean Company was the lowest offered, and recommended that the contract be awarded to that company.

The contract, which had been prepared by the city solicitor, was signed by the officers of the board and the Wentworth-Dean Company last evening at the conclusion of the meeting of the board.

Estimates Allowed.

Upon recommendation of Chairman Gensel, of the finance committee, Theodore Scheid was paid estimates amounting to $818.48 for work performed at the College building. A balance of $174 is still due on the work, which is not entirely completed.

In addition to the above, Chairman Gensel recommended that $50 be appropriated from the contingent fund for library and supplementary reading books, authority to purchase which Supreintendent Davison had made request. The appropriation was allowed by a unanimous vote of the board.

Upon motion of Chairman A. J. Miller, of the text books and supplies committee, Longfellow's "Hiawatha" was added to the list of supplementary reading books to be used in the graded schools. Authority was given the superintendent to purchase two sets of 36 volumes each, but they are not to be purchased until the beginning of the next school year.

Lectures on Teeth.

Chairman Rudy, of the sanitary committee, recommended that the board approve the offer of the Colgate Company to distribute 5,000 cubes of tooth paste among the pupils of the Lima schools free of charge. Accompanying the free samples are printed lectures on oral hygiene, which will be read and explained by the teachers of the various buildings.

To make the motion effective, it was necessary to suspend rules prohibiting the distribution of any samples among the pupils of the public schools. This was done upon the recommendation of Superintendent Davison, who gave the plan his personal endorsement. The same action has been taken by the boards of education in Cincinnati, Akron, Youngstown, Columbus, Kenton, and other cities.

Conditions of Funds.

Treasurer Cunningham, through Chairman Gensel of the finance committee, reported upon the condition of the school funds as follows: Tuition fund, balance on hand, $17,697, necessary for balance of school year, $33,500, surplus, $4,197. Contingent fund, balance on hand, $9,935.56, necessary for balance of school year, $8,241.05, surplus, $1,694.52.

Superintendent's Report.

The report of Superintendent Davison for the month of February, which was much more brief than usual, was adopted by the board and the recommendations contained therein acted upon favorably.

It showed an attendance for the month of February of 5,342, divided as follows: High school, 711; Franklin, 650; Washington, 625; Lincoln, 601; Garfield, 574; Whittier, 530; Irving, 426; Lowell, 388; McKinley, 267; Richardson, 158; Emerson, 146; College, 129; Shawnee, 127.

Last year the enrollment for February was 5,178, an increase of 264 for this year.

The average percentage of attendance for the month was 94.1 per cent, much lower than usual owing to prevailing illness among the pupils during the month. Franklin building led with 95.5, closely followed by McKinley and Shawnee with 95.2 each. Whittier brought up the rear with 91.7 per cent.

There were 111 cases of tardiness during the month, 50 less than last month, and 28 less than February of last year, a very gratifying improvement in punctuality. Whittier led with 19, while College was lowest with only one case.

The total amount of the school savings deposit to date is $1,907.04, divided as follows: Franklin, $266.06; Washington, 166.89; Lincoln, $181.10; Garfield, $149.04; Whittier, $189.73; Irving, $177.11; Lowell, $298.11; McKinley, $178.18; Richardson, $39.36; Emerson, $79.06; College, $16.24; Shawnee, $66.16. Deposits for February totaled $299.75.

Superintendent Davison, also a member of the city board of examiners, was authorized to purchase 1,000 blanks for elementary certificates, the supply being exhausted, also the printing of examination questions, and advertising the examination as required by law.

The next city teacher's examination will be held on Saturday, April 5, beginning at 7:30 a. m., and closing at 6 p. m.

Report on Boilers.

Clerk Muntis read a report from the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York on the boilers at the high school building, which followed an external examination by the company's representative, W. Weyer, a few weeks ago. The boilers were reported to be in good condition, except that a ½-inch connection should be provided for inspector's test gauge in order to comply with the Ohio Boiler Inspection Law.

All members were present except Faust.

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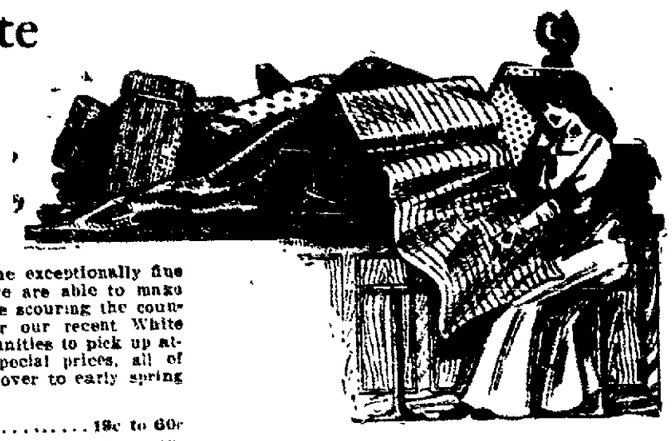

We pride ourselves on the exceptionally fine showing of white fabrics we are able to make this season. While we were scouring the country for special features for our recent White Sale we found many opportunities to pick up attractive white fabrics at special prices, all of which we are glad to turn over to early spring shoppers.

Plain Linweaves	19c to 60c
Plain Indias	10c to 25c
Plain Crepes	18c
Plain Pique Cords	15c to 50c
Plain Lawns	12½c to 40c
Dotted Swiss	12½c to 50c
Embroidered Crepes	25c to 50c
Silk Stripe Voiles	25c to 50c
Silk Stripe Poplins	25c to 39c
Plain Poplins	25c
Embroidered Ratine	68c

Beautiful New Effects in Colored Wash Fabrics

New Ginghams, plain and fancies, 10c and 12½c.

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Latest spring styles in this ever popular fabric; all wanted colors in plain weaves; many extremely pretty designs and patterns in the fancies, plentiful choosing at 18c.

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19c Tissues in stripes and checks, special value at 15c.

25c new Tissues, extra good value at 19c.

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75 attractive styles and colorings to choose from, plain or silk stripe; soft and clinging and adapts itself readily to the fashionable draped effects, 25c, 29c, 35c, 39c and 50c.

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The rough but modish material that has won its way into the hearts of well dressed women will be found here in wide variety.

Plain Colored Ratine, 25c.

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BLUE LICK.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eavey spent Sunday at S. J. Leedy's.

C. G. Vore and family and Mrs. Sarah Byerly were Sunday visitors at S. I. Miller's.

Roy Bassett is clerking for Wm. Anderson.

Mary Burns is spending a few days with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dice at Pandora.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Jacobs, of West Minster, and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Koogler visited Sunday at D. S. Early's.

Mrs. Anna Bassitt, of Beaverdam, visited with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Elliott, Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Joseph and children, of Michigan, visited last week at J. M. Miller's.

Ruby and Carrie Byerly spent Sunday with Rhea Wampler, near Cairo.

Mrs. J. B. Crawford and children, of Lima, are spending the week at A. J. Armentrout's. Mrs. Crawford has not yet recovered from the severe burns, she received some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bassitt were callers at Philo Bassitt's, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Landes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Leedy, Jr.

Blue Lick will have a new general store in a short time, as L. W. Roberts is hauling the material, to build a dwelling house and store room on the southwest corner of the public square.

Hon. N. W. Cunningham, of Bluffton, gave a lecture on his travels at Blue Lick last Friday night. There was a large crowd present and all enjoyed it very much.

Literary at Blue Lick next Friday night. Question: Resolved, that the world is growing better, morally.

A COLD, LA GRIPPE, THEN PNEUMONIA

Is too often the fatal sequence. La Grippe coughs hang on, weaken the system, and lower the vital resistence. R. G. Collins, postmaster, Barnegat, N. J., says: "I was troubled with a severe La Grippe cough which completely exhausted me. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound soon stopped the coughing spells entirely. It can't be beat."

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What you'll save on a single day's marketing at the Big Store, will buy you something handsome you have felt you couldn't afford. Come to the Big Store Grocery, Thursday, and get your share of these special economies.

Asheville Canned Peas, 10c.
Prepared Mustard, pint glass jar, 7c.
Home Brand Baking Powder, 10c can, 7c.
Crown Pancake and Buckwheat Flour, 10c sack, 7c.
10c National Oats, pkg., 7c.

SPECIAL.

25c box of Lowney's or Runkel's Cocoa and 10c cake Sweet Chocolate, both for 25c.

4 lbs. Elbou Macaroni, 25c.
10 lbs Buckwheat Flour, 33c.
Starlight Sugar Corn, 4 cans for 25c.
Karo Corn Syrup, large bucket, 39c; 25c medium size bucket, 19c.
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen, 18c.

Red Salmon, Tally-ho Brand tall can, 12½c.
2 lb. can Baked Beans, 7½c.

SPECIAL.

Old Mission Oranges, large fine flavored fruit, regular 35c size. Special for Thursday, per dozen, 24c.

10c can X-Ray Stove Polish, 7c.
20c Radium Stove Enamel, 13c.
5c roll Crepe Toilet Paper, 7 rolls for 25c.
Jergens Savon De Creme Soap, 3 cakes in box, 19c.
Almond Cocoa Oil Soap, 3 cakes in box, 19c.
Dutch Sandanol Toilet Soap, 3 cakes for 19c.
Peroxide Bath Soap, cake, 7c.
¾ lb. bar Floating Castile Soap, bar, 9c.
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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., March 12.—Forecast for Ohio:
Increasing cloudiness tonight; Thursday unsettled with probably rain in afternoon or night.

The Indiana legislature has passed a law permitting women to be employed to work ten hours a day under the same conditions that restricts them in Ohio to nine hours per day. It looks as though Indiana had slid back one notch through that bit of legislation.

Bald-headed men — and their number is legion will be interested in the following paragraph which appeared in a recent edition of Harper's Weekly:

"He who wishes to renew his falling hair should go to the polar regions, as cold is now said to be the best remedy for baldness. Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer, says that the individuals who accompanied him on his recent expedition to the South Pole returned, with one or two exceptions, with strong and magnificent crops of hair, although none of them were previously so favored. This phenomenon was observed a short time after the men entered the cold regions. The hair grew slowly, but became strong and very thick A medical man of whom an explanation was asked attributed it either to the absence of germs or to the protection given the head by the constant wearing of fur However, the director of some cold storage rooms in London seems to have further proof of the efficacy of the low temperature Among his operatives there is not a single bald-headed or sparse-haired man, due, he thinks without any question, to the fact that they work constantly in a temperature considerably below freezing."

MARKETING PROBLEM AGAIN.

Many farmers with good apples to sell and willing to sell them at a reasonable price have been unable to dispose of this fruit this winter. Thousands of consumers in the cities who like good apples and who are willing to pay a reasonable price are unable to obtain them. What is the trouble? A glance at the following figures may throw some light on this problem. A member of the faculty of the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, desirous of obtaining some apples for demonstration work, went to a retailer in the city and was obliged to pay the following exorbitant prices for them: Delicious, 60 cents per dozen: Spitzenberg, 50 cents: Rome Beauty, 40 cents; Jonathan, 35 cents, Gime Golden, 25 cents. Very few of these were perfect, many being blemished by disease, bruise or storage scald, and some were so off color as to be hardly recognizable. With such conditions prevailing, it is not to be wondered at that fruit growers are complaining because of poor sales. People cannot pay such prices and consequently apples are moving slowly. "There surely must be some means by which the grower and the consumer can get nearer each other" says this college man. "Certain communities have found a way out of their trouble and others will have to do so sooner or later Co-operation is in the air and many are beginning to realize that some form is necessary if the farmer is to get his proper reward."

HOW TO GET RID OF THE HOUSE FLY.

The fly is a nuisance besides being a carrier of infectious diseases, and the attempt to exterminate it needs no justification. How one can make one's home town or city flyless is described by C. F. Hodge, of Clark University, Worcester, Mass. He says that the American public spends $10,000,000 a year for window and door screen in a futile attempt to exclude a lively insect which insists on getting into the house every time the doors are opened. He believes also that the method of swatting the flies, using fly-paper or indoor traps or poisons is ineffective, but may help. His method is to make use in various ways of the conical wire-mesh fly-trap, which is familiar to almost every one, in such a way as to turn the tables on the flies and "put them in jail and let ourselves out." The plan involves, of course, the abolition as far as possible of all breeding-and-feeding-places for flies and the application of the fly-trap mentioned above to the garbage-can, to the screens on windows, to the covers on manure-bins, etc. all of which can be done by a little mechanical ingenuity. Garbage cans are on the market which have a cover larger than the can and not fitting down closely on it so that the flies gain access to the can under the cover and escape through a hole in the cover over which is fixed a fly-trap. In fighting the fly, Hodge has found that the essentials of a successful campaign are to transfer the fight against the fly from the house to outdoors, and then to exterminate it Another essential feature in a town or city is that households must co-operate. One ignorant or careless home can breed flies enough to vitiate the best endeavors of a whole town. Hodge has succeeded in his neighborhood in practically eliminating flies; he uses no screens in windows and doors and can sit out doors or have windows or doors open at any time without molestation. As flies begin to breed early in the spring and as they breed with marvelous rapidity, the time to arrange for a fly-campaign is in the winter.

HIGH DIVERS.

Charles Conway, once known in Muncie, and his wife, Beatrice, were both convicted for the killing of Miss Sophia Singer in Chicago after repudiating confessions of guilt The verdict gives Conway a life imprisonment in the penitentiary, and his wife 14 years. In show circles Conway was known as a clown and high diver. He killed a wealthy woman who had befriended him and his wife and at last dived to the lowest depths of degradation and despair, and he narrowly escaped having made his last high dive from the scaffold into eternity. Sin never accomplishes anything; it stands at life's bar, the accuser in the greatest of all trials, epitomized in this—How has your life been lived?—Muncie Star.

THE SCHOOL SURVEY.

Governor Cox's appointment of members of the school survey has been well considered, and he has chosen people for that service that will fit the requirements He has gone outside of the school equipment for persons, to suggest reforms in the schools. People on the inside are not so well qualified to see what is needed as people on the outside are The latter look to results and when they find these are not what they should be, they naturally look for defects in the system.

It will be incumbent on this board to go to the bottom of things, even if they trample upon the sacred traditions of the profession. A change is needed; not a change that relates to methods, to buildings, to books, to salaries, to origination; there is something needed in the basic idea of education which should recognize the sway of the spiritual more, and of the intellectual less. Real education, especially the kind that citizens need, is not a mere matter of knowledge and reason, but it is largely concerned with the heart, the emotions, the ideals, the aspirations, and those qualities that incline people to higher and truer things.

This branch of education has not been systematized. It has hardly been recognized, except as a personal experience The professor generally ignores it, but that should not discourage the reformer who hopes for better things in public education.—State Journal.

The robins have appeared, and their cheerful caroling upon the boughs of the leafless trees brings to the mind of many the longing to make garden, either a vegetable or a flower garden or both. Suburban Life gives the following suggestions to those who have heard the lure of nature and long to get busy planting and cultivating the growing flowers, herbs and vegetables:

"There seems to be a general idea among the gardenless that starting a garden is a tremendous undertaking I should love to have a garden,' they say, 'but I don't know how to begin it.' or, 'It would be such an expense at the outset.' I know the feeling—I have had it myself, but I determined to have a try at a garden, and, as I succeeded beyond my expectations, I want to say a word, out of my own experience, to other would-be venturers. 'In the first place, plan your garden. If you can afford to have a landscape architect, so much the better—but if not, do it yourself. Then don't try to plant it all at once—let it grow Unless your heart is set on a formal garden, begin with long bed of perennials. Next year you will want to add other beds, and gradually your garden will evolve itself

"'Make your plant with due regard to color harmony, but don't let it worry you too much, for, if you avoid the magenta shades and use plenty of white between the other colors, the result will be harmonious. There are some combinations that are particularly lovely, such as blue, yellow and white, say delphinium, coreopsis, and white poppies, or phlox—and there are others which are especially painful—keep the nasturtiums away from the bright pink phlox Let the colors run from crimson, through pink and white to lavender, white to blue, yellow to white, orange, and scarlet; but try to have the two red bloom at different times. Some flowers do not do well in a mixed bed, notably roses, which thrive best in a bed by themselves, where the ground can be freely stirred, and where they get plenty of sun. Peonies, too, need plenty of room, and, although they can be grown in a border, they make a very beautiful corner combination with foxgloves and sweet william.'"

The Cause of Rheumatism.

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver kidneys and bowels in healthy condition by taking Electric Bitters, and you will not be troubled with the pains of rheumatism. Charles B Allen, a school principal, of Sylvania, Ga., who suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Maybe your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver and kidney troubles Electric Bitters will give you prompt relief 50c and $1.00. Recommended by H. F. Vortkamp

POLES ONCE ON THE EQUATOR

Flammarion Declares Arctic and Antarctic May Have Been Temperate.

Camille Flammarion, the celebrated astronomer, discussing the statement that the Scott expedition found evidence that the south pole had twice been a temperate zone, said recently.

"The evidence evidently relates to the discovery of fossils of fauna and flora such as have already been found in the arctic regions. These are taken by one school of theorists as proving that the poles once occupied the position of the equator and enjoyed a warm climate, while the two opposite potuts, now on the equator, were frozen poles.

"The theory is that the obliquity of the earth, which, as every one knows, travels around the sun at an angle of twenty-three degrees, is liable to great variation. Thus from time to time during the millions of years the earth has existed the poles have changed from place to place on the earth's surface."

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HOW JAPAN SEES GAIN IN NEW WAR

Wants Russo-Chinese Conflict, Says Korean.

WOULD PROFIT FROM RESULT

Head of Patriotic Society Explains How Nipponese Plot Territorial Conquest Through Partition of Celestial Kingdom and Taking of Philippines and Hawaii—Asia For Asiatics.

Only an alliance between the United States and China can keep the peace in the far east is the opinion of Mr. Seek Hun Kimm, president of the Korean Patriotic association of New York.

"Conditions in the orient are far from settled," said Mr. Kimm in an interview recently. "The territorial ambitions of Japan are as yet far from satisfied, and Russia is still desirous of an eastern seaport. The powers of Europe are still looking forward to the partition of China and that newborn republic looks to the good offices of America as her only salvation. Such an alliance is a natural one because the United States has no territorial ambitions to gratify, and the people of China today, regard this country as a sister among the nations.

"When Prince Ito was the Japanese premier his policy was to destroy Korea, bring about the partition of China and, as a consummation of this plan of empire, seize the Philippines and Hawaii. After Ito's assassination by On Chung Gaen, the Korean patriot, at Harbin in 1909, Prince Katsuro, who has since been displaced, succeeded Ito as premier. This was before the abdication of the Manchu dynasty and the establishment of the republic of China. Following the policy of his predecessor, Katsuro annexed Korea in 1910.

China and Russia at Odds.

"Since that time the relations between China and Russia have become strained, and war is imminent between the two nations. Japan is aware of this fact and is secretly seeking to foment the trouble with a view to serving her own ulterior purposes. Should China be successful Japan will seize Vladivostok and eastern Siberia, but should the Chinese meet defeat Japan will immediately occupy south Manchuria and Inter-Mongolia

"Strange as it may appear to the occidental mind, China has by far the best chance in such a war. In the first place, the Chinese are imbued with a new spirit. They will defend the land of their fathers from foreign invasion to the bitter end Second, China can raise an immense war fund. There are on the coast of the Indian ocean more than 1,000,000 Chinese merchants, and these merchants have pledged to the republic an assessment of $1,000,000,000, or $1,000 each, in the event of a war with Russia. Most important of all is the fact that the Chinese army of today is equipped with the most modern arms and has been drilled by American and European military tacticians. China is prepared at any time to resist invasion. More than 300,000 troops are massed on her frontiers, and 500,000 more can be dispatched to the front at short notice.

Chinese Hate Japan.

"The Chinese people, from the lowest coolie to the most progressive statesman, hate and fear Japan. They know that they can avert the possibility of war with Russia by accepting the alliance which Japan is ready to offer; but, to paraphrase the words of the poet, they 'fear the Japanese bearing gifts.' Japan today has a new watchword which outlines her eastern policy, and that is, 'Asia for the Asiatics.' Once she can control through diplomatic relations the destiny of China she will seize upon Hawaii and the Philippines. The greatest menace to her ambitions today is the approaching completion of the Panama canal.

"We Koreans sympathize with the Chinese because we know that our only hope of ever throwing off the yoke of Japan and regaining our independence lies in maintaining a balance of power between the republic of China and the government of the mikado. The educated Koreans today are imbued with occidental ideas. They desire to establish a republic in their country."

Career of Mr. Kimm.

In 1894, during the revolution in Korea, Mr. Kimm organized a corps of volunteer troops for the government and in 1895 was sent to Japan by the Korean emperor as a government student of military science. The following year he came to America and in 1899, by edict of the emperor, was appointed an attache to the Korean legation at Washington under Minister Chin Pum Ye, who was a member of the Russian party, while Mr. Kimm had espoused the Independence party of Korea. This led to a bitter quarrel between them, and he resigned his post after a few days. His post at Washington was not filled by his government, however, until Minister Min Ho Cho replaced the former head of the legation, and Chi Yu Han was named as attache in his place.

Mr. Kimm has continued his residence in this country, and because of his activities as head of the Korean patriotic movement in the United States has recently been placed under the interdict of the Japanese government in Korea.

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SCENES OF EARLY REVOLT REPEATED

Diary of Mexican Woman on War of 1840.

CAPITAL STREETS RAN BLOOD

How Cannon Belched Shot In Public Thoroughfares, Killing Many Innocent, Just as Occurred In Recent Battles Recounted In Interesting Record of Mme. de la Barca.

More than seventy years ago the situation in the City of Mexico was the same as existed during the last several weeks, with the exception that then the rebels held the palace and the government established itself in the citadel. But then, as now, the holders of the citadel won. The story of this early revolution, known as the cuartelazo of July, 1840, is told in the columns of the Mexican Herald, which in turn has extracted them from the diary of Mme. Calderon de la Barca. The revolutionists, headed by Valentin Gomez Farias and General Jose Urrea, actually succeeded in seizing the president, Anastasio Bustamante, in his bed, but he later escaped them and joined his adherents in the citadel, whence he directed the attack upon his former captors. Then, as now, the streets between the two strategic points of the city were swept by cannon, and no man's life was safe.

The Diary.

Follows the diary in part:

July 15, 1840.—Revolution in Mexico, or pronunciamiento, as they call it. The storm which has for some time been brewing has burst forth at last. Don Valentin Gomez Farias and the banished General Urrea have pronounced for federalism. At 2 this morning, joined by the Fifth battalion and the regiment of comercio, they took up arms, set off for the palace, surprised the president in his bed and took him prisoner. Our first information was a message, arriving on the part of the government, desiring the attendance of our two old soldiers, who put on their old uniforms and set off quite pleased. Next came our friend, Don M— del C—o, who advised us to haul out the Spanish colors that they might be in readiness to fly on the balcony in case of necessity

The firing has begun! People come running up the street. The Indians are hurrying back to their villages in double quick trot. As we are not in the center of the city our position for the present is very safe, all the cannon being directed toward the palace All the streets near the square are planted with cannon, and it is pretended that the revolutionary party is giving arms to the leperos.

Nine o'clock p. m.—Continuation of firing without interruption. I have spent the day standing on the balcony, looking at the smoke and listening to the different rumors. Gomez Farias has been proclaimed president by his party. The streets near the square are said to be strewed with dead and wounded. There was a terrible thunderstorm this afternoon. Mingled with the roaring of the cannon, it sounded like a strife between heavenly and earthly artillery. We shall not pass a very easy night, especially without our soldiers. Unfortunately, there is a bright moon, so night brings no interruption to the firing and slaughter.

Bereaved Wife Brings Report.

July 16, 1840.—Our first news was brought early this morning by the wife of one of our soldiers, who came in great despair to tell us that both her husband and his comrade are shot, though not killed; that they were among the first who fell, and she came to entreat Calderon to prevent their being sent to the hospital. It is reported that Bustamante has escaped and that he fought his way, sword in hand, through the soldiers who guarded him in his apartment. Almonte, at all events, is at the head of his troops The balls have entered many houses in the square. It must be terribly dangerous for those who live there and, among others, for our friend Senor Tagle, director of the Monte Pio, and his family.

They have just brought the government bulletin, which gives the following statement of the circumstances "Yesterday, at midnight, Urrea, with a handful of troops belonging to the garrison and its neighborhood, took possession of the national palace, surprising the guard and committing the 'incivility' of imprisoning his excellency the president, Don Anastasio Bustamante, the commander in chief, the Mayor de la Plaza and other chiefs Don Gabriel Valencia, chief of the plana mayor (staff): General Don Antonio Moro and the minister of war Don Juan Nepomuceno Almonte, reunited in the citadel, prepared to attack the pronunciados, who, arming the lowest populace, took possession of the towers of the cathedral and of some of the highest edifices in the center of the city."

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MEXICO IS NOW PLUNGED IN STATE OF CHRONIC REVOLT

Nation's Woe Due Largely to Whims of Leaders and to Race Weakness.

Intervention Would Be Costly. Nation Should Work Out Own Salvation.

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.

THE Mexican crisis has become chronic Revolt is followed by revolution and that by insurrection, rebellion, insurgency, prising, disturbance and plain trouble. f Don Enrique Doodlebug's breakfast oes not agree with him he goes out, alls about him his faithful followers od starts something If Colonel Re-ipe W Thenus gets tired of working r a living he gathers a company of thers of the same mind, of whom ere are always plenty, and begins oiding up estates, mills, railroads or ything else that will stand for it. surging has become a habit. The ad is filled with Maderistas, Zapatis-s Felicistas, banditistas, assassinis-s, pessimistas, jingoistas and other stas' till you can't rest. One year ey elect a president, and the next they ke him out in a side street and shoot m The governor of a state never ows whether his next conference will with a legislative committee or the ing squad It takes a brave man be a public official in Mexico.

Before a Mexican announces that he a candidate for the suffra es of his llow citizens he wants to insure his e and make his will. If elected he

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rounds himself with a body guard l has all his enemies executed or ed Then if some of his trusted ierents are not traitors he may be wed to serve out a part of his term, vided he is not broken on the wheel a revolution The recall is an old iblished institution in our sister re-dic only they don't do the recalling h ballots

rancisco I Madero tried to teach countrymen democracy, but they been under the Diaz rule so long t they had forgotten what the word ant The worst accusation made inst Madero is that he was a dream-but if so he dreamed of liberty for country, of honest elections, of hu ne government, of land for the land and of peace and prosperity for the ple. He was also criticised for be-only five feet four inches in height. ery serious charge indeed. It was l that be appointed too many of his ives to office, but it was rejoined t he had to have somebody about he could trust. Even as it was his chief generals turned traitors

Two-thirds of People Illiterate.

or Madero' He had become indoc ated with republicanism as it ex in America and thought he could ly it to Mexico, only to find that people did not comprehend it or w how to use it. The poorer class thought liberty meant that they d take what they wanted with e to say them nay The peons are erate. It is estimated by one fa ar with Mexican affairs that of the 00 000 population of the nation 10. 000 can neither read nor write, and the remaining 5 000,000 have no cation to speak of. The same au tity says that 40 per cent of the peo are of pure Indian blood and that per cent more have Indian or negro d in their veins. These last are greasers When it is realized nearly all the remaining 30 per ere Spaniards it can be seen just t elements Madero had to depend n working out his dream

ell, Madero is dead and the old tificos are in the saddle To those cquainted with the cientificos it ld be explained that they consti d the real power in the last years orfirio Diaz They are not a politi party, but rather an inner circle, er behind the throne. They dic appointments and policies. The ng of the word "cientifico" is ntific business, and it is shrewdly ected that this wheel within a el made a scientific business of gov-nent, of the offices contracts, con-ions honors, franchises and other rs that government has to bestow

In Tammany Hall this would be called scientific graft, but, of course, nothing of that kind can be imagined in con nection with a national government.

Diaz Redivivus.

The brief dream of democracy is over, the counter revolution has ap-parently won and the old reactionaries are in power Don Porfirio's pictures are being taken from closets, dusted off and hung about the national pal ace. Don Porfirio's nephew is the head of the successful revolt and the announced candidate for president. Don Porfirio himself is immensely pleased with the turn of affairs and says that he may return to his coun try. "The old order changeth, giving place to the new," has been strangely reversed to read, "The new order changeth, giving place to the old" Today Mexico's constitutional presi-dent and vice president, the only ones really elected by the people in more than a generation have been assassi nated, and the country is under a mil-itary dictatorship As for the future who knows? "The blood of the mar tyrs is the seed of the church," and it may be that the blood of Madero and Suarez may yet be the seed of democ-racy in Mexico. The truth is mighty—

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MAJOR GENERAL CARTER.

even among peons, greasers, Indians and Spaniards

At present there are mutterings of revolt all over Mexico The finger of scorn of all nations is pointed at the Huerta regime, at the methods by which Huerta himself gained office, at the crude and revolting savagery dis played in the killing of the two Made-ros and Suarez, at the transparent ex planations made of these blundering brutalities

Will There Be Intervention?

What will the United States do? Foreign nations are exerting pressure on us in favor of intervention They point to our responsibility under the Monroe doctrine to keep order in the western hemisphere Those who have large investments in Mexico are also urging us to intervene

President Taft steadfastly refused to heed this clamor, and there is every reason to believe that President Wil son will do the same At the same time warships are being rushed to Mexican waters and troops are mobil izing at Galveston and other points near the border. These are precau tionary measures and are such steps as practically all neutral nations take when there is warfare near their boun daries

Americans who talk idly of interven tion should realize fully just what such a serious step would mean

It would certainly bring war The gringos as we are called, are not particularly popular across the line Mexicans may quarrel among them selves, but the moment we made a hostile move they ould unite like long lost brothers All the different "istas" would forget their grievances against each other and rush to support the independe e of their land We should make no mistake on this score Intervention in Mexico would mean not only war, but a long, hard and costly war. It is true that Mexico has only one-sixth of our population, but they would be fighting on their own ground defending their own homes More over, it would be harder for us to sup press the roving bandits of the moun tains in an alien country than for the Mexican government to control its own outlaws. One United States army offi cer who has studied the situation has stated that it would require at least 300,000 troops, ten years time and $1 000 000 expense a day to conquer Mexico.

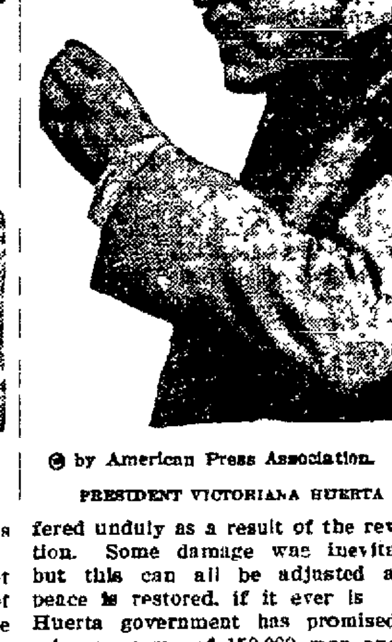
Would Massacre Americans

Intervention would probably defeat the very end sought—the protection of American lives and property in the dis-turbed republic Many Mexicans have threatened that the moment we cross the boundary every American in the country will be massacred and every American property wrecked. As barbarous and horrible as this sounds, those of our people who have lived south of the Rio Grande believe it would be carried out. Not only so, but other foreigners would probably suffer, the mobs not distinguishing between gringos and Europeans By intervening we would become indirectly responsi ble, not only morally, but financially, for the resultant damages

Intervention might have another most serious consequence. It would doubt-less alienate from us all Latin Amer-ica. Despite all we have done for the other American republics, both by our example and by our powerful aid un-der the Monroe doctrine, there are nat-ural jealousy and fear of us These younger republics dearly prize their in dependence and regard our very size as a menace This feeling was inten-sified by our action in Panama; also our intervention in Cuba, Santo Do-mingo, Nicaragua and elsewhere The Latin Americans have doubtless heard some of our rattle-brains chatter about "Panama to the pole" and have at-tached more importance to such irre-sponsible talk than it merits But in tervention in Mexico would give real ground for apprehension not only to Central but to South America It would lend color to the charge that we are land hungry and have designs of conquest. This would be most unfor-tunate to our growing trade in Latin America, which we hope to increase by the construction of the Panama canal It would end the pan-American dream of James G Blaine

We Can Afford to Wait.

As a matter of fact just what busi ness would we have in Mexico any way? Have not the people of that country a right to work out their own internal affairs in their own way? Is it not better for them that they should do so? There is no evidence that American lives or property have suf



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PRESIDENT VICTORIANA HUERTA

fered unduly as a result of the revolu tion. Some damage was inevitable but this can all be adjusted after peace is restored, if it ever is The Huerta government has promised to raise an army of 150,000 men and to go after the revolutionists with vigor General Orozco the leading insurgent has come into camp and promised to be good A few of the other rebel chieftains have also promised allegi ance Whatever we may think of Huerta and of Mexico generally, why not give them a chance? If they can restore peace, well and good If they cannot, there will be plenty of time to act after that fact becomes appar ent.

There is natural irritation along the border, but the whole nation cannot be plunged into war merely for the protection of the border General Steever is already on the ground with one division of regular troops, and General Carter is on his way with an other If these two divisions are not able to keep the Mexicans on their own side of the river the Texas rang ers may do the trick. Governor Col quitt of Texas is sending the militia to points along the Rio Grande, and in this connection some unfortunate mis understandings have arisen The gov ernor said be could get no satisfaction from Washington and that if it became necessary to protect the lives and property of Texans he would send troops across the border Thereupon the United States troops were hurried to the Rio Grande, and it was said that the purpose was to watch the mi litia and see that Governor Colquitt's threat was not carried out.

This recalls a remark I heard the other day from a gentleman recently returned from Mexico. According to his version, the Mexican people are not at all afraid of the United States They feel perfectly competent to wipe out our whole army But they don't like the Texas rangers They have had dealings with these gentlemen before and have a wholesome respect for their hard riding and straight shooting The Texas rangers look big ger and more formidable to them than all Uncle Sam's army and navy

Possibly they are right, and if worse comes to worst we might let the Tex as rangers go down and clean up the whole Mexican republic But for the present it is just as well to keep our heads Taking every necessary pre caution, prepare to strike hard and quick if it becomes necessary, and wait. The waiting game costs noth ing, while one false step might sac rifice untold treasure in wealth and life and seriously affect the future of the entire western hemisphere

AMERICAN GIANT TO POCKET THEM

French Authority Shows Why We Must Take Little Republics.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE CANAL.

In the Panama Waterway, Says Rondet Saint, Are the Elements of a Formidable Problem, Not to Say Conflict—Possible Clash Over Clipperton Island Held by French.

The Panama canal furnishes a text for Rondet Saint a French authority on political affairs who makes a re-markable analysis of the United States' imperial policy and draws conclusions that are being widely discussed in Europe

"The Panama canal was a matter of business with us he says "For the Yankees it is a matter of life and death"

He complains that insufficient impor tance is attached in France to events now taking place in Central America, where, he says, the United States is moving, in the way foretold long ago by all who gave themselves the trouble to think and look ahead, in the carry ing out of its policy of annexation This step he considers to be actuated not by the luxury of imperialism or national ambition but to be an essen-tial necessity He says

"The United States is pursuing two aims—first by cutting through Pan-ama to insure the proper working of its naval and merchant fleets of the Atlantic and Pacific, second, to strengthen pan Americanism from one end to the other of the new world un der the aegis of the great North Amer-ican republic

Uncle Sam's Capacious Pocket.

After setting forth recent events in Panama, Colombia and Nicaragua the writer continues.

"The United States is, according to a recent saying, like a giant who will put in his pocket five little children—the five republics of Central America This event is almost mathematically certain, and the rest of the world will accept its accomplishment without pro test, since their interests in this par ticular domain do not amount to one tenth of the Yankee nation's stake

"It must not, however, be thought that the question will be a simple one It is bound up with circumstances not yet apparent but profoundly troubling because inevitable and incalculable in their consequences

"I speak of the political, economic and ethnographic barrier raised by Mexico before the projects of the Union

"Here then, is a serious considera tion But there is another which should be still more pressing in the eyes of the Yankees When the north ern provinces of Mexico were annexed the conquerors omitted for some in explicable reason to take over the nar row strip of land at the bottom of the gulf of California, which joins north ern California to the state of Sonora The United States thus closed to itself the outlet of the Sacramento basin which serves the whole southwest of the Union The outlet of this river economically so important is a cul de sac the last American city in Arizona being some distance from the hinter-land No Yankee expansion is percep-tible in the immense gulf of California No port has been created at the mouth of this immense river where a mari time metropolis would have command ed the surrounding country and open ed up the hinterland

Need the Gulf of California

After the completion of the Panama canal will the United States consent indefinitely to leave its southwestern states isolated from the sea and let the vast fluvial network of the Sacra mento remain a closed road when it should be one of the most active vehi cles of commercial movement of a great part of the Union?

"Moreover the gulf of California forms the natural access of the Unit ed States to the canal and is also the obvious route of the relations of the United States with Central America already partly occupied by it today.

"We have thus all the elements of a formidable problem not to say conflict which we should follow with particular attention, for our country is by no means a disinterested spectator of the possible developments in that part of the world"

The writer concludes his article by dwelling on the approaching impor tance of Clipperton island which oc cupied by the French when far from any trade route will with the opening of the isthmus lie directly in the ne currents of the world's traffic tow 1 the east The French occupation effective, he points out since a light house, visible from fifteen miles has been kept up for some time by the French government

The fact that Mexico's claims to pos sess this island were entertained by other nations and carried before The Hague tribunal constitutes he says an affront to French foreign politics, whatever sympathy France may have for the Mexican nation, "who might at the present moment more than ever gain for herself the friendly feeling of foreign nations"

WHAT IS SOLUBLE?

Everything In the Universe Is. Say the Scientists.

GLASS DISSOLVES IN WATER.

And if a Bar of Gold Be Placed Upon a Bar of Lead Each In Time Will Absorb Particles of the Other—Solid Matter a Mass of Whirling Atoms

What is soluble? Sugar in water? That's easy, although you have to be born in Kentucky to perform the trick in the mint julep trade

Is glass soluble in water? Offhand we say no We are wrong It is You can try it yourself

Take an ordinary eight ounce water glass, a glass that holds eight ounces, grind it up to a powder and pour the powder into another glass full of water and stir it up Then analyze it or if this is above you take it around the corner to a man who can, and he will tell you and with truth that the wa-ter in that glass had actually dissolved 3 per cent of the glass powder

Glass is soluble nearly as soluble as bichloride of mercury

Everything is soluble in water Furthermore, everything in the uni verse is soluble in everything else in the universe That is what they are telling us now, and the men who tell us can perform an astonishing experi-ment right before your eyes to make you more than half believe them

They take a bar of gold and a bar of lead They lay one bar on top of the other Then they sit around and smoke cigars and wait say a year Then they take the two bars and analyze them chemically In the gold bar they find lead In the lead bar they find gold Gold and lead are soluble in each other.

If you haven't time to wait a year to find out, the trick can be performed in much shorter time All that has to be done is to raise the temperature of the two bars to a very ordinary heat—say 300 or 400 degrees F With this added heat the same results are reached over night Traces of gold are found all the way through the lead bar and vice versa

The theory is that all substances whether gold or butter or leather, are really composed of the smallest kind of small particles about the size of the particles making up the tail of the late lamented comet which were described as the elemental essence of nothing ness These particles which are as much bigger than an atom [illegible] mouth tain compared to a [illegible] are in mo tion, revolving [illegible] other faster than thought [illegible] as the planets revolve round the sun

If our [illegible] enough a chunk of gold would appear to our eyes [illegible] copper full of flies [illegible] keep in the cheese compartment of a country grocery store in August The particles [illegible] jumping much the same as these flies

When a bar of gold comes in contact with a bar of lead their respective re volving buzzing particles get together and get acquainted They go explor ing and are lost and before long in-stead of having a bar of pure lead and a bar of pure gold we have two bars of alloyed metals

This discovery has upset all sorts of scientific calculations If everything is soluble in everything else—and scien tists can go on duplicating the gold lead example without end how can anything exist in a pure state? It can't Chemists dispense chemicals under the label "C P" or chemically pure" but if a Dr Wiley got after them on the strict letter of the new theory he would send them all to jail, because the chances are that all alleged pure chemi cals have absorbed a little of every thing they came in contact with in the process of their manufacture

Analytical chemists of this day have to take into account the amount of glass any given solution contains, when they are testing that solution in test a tube Otherwise their results wouldn't count for anything.

This discovery suggests an explana-tion of that mysterious element in out-door life scent How can a hound trace his quarry? Everything a man touches dissolves a little of him When his foot falls on the ground he leaves a trace of himself In warm weather or in wet weather he leaves a bigger trace than in cold or dry weather A hound follows a damp trail Usually his sense of smell is not acute enough to follow a dry trail

The suggestion that a fugitive pur-sued by a bloodhound actually dis solves a few particles of himself every time his foot touches the ground, just as though he were a lump of sugar in water, sounds fanciful, but it is ap-pearing more and more reasonable in the light of recent researches F 1 Anderson in Chicago Record Herald

PLUMP FOLKS AND THIN FOLKS

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SENATOR BURTON DINED AS HOST OF LIMAITES

Ohio's Senior Senator in Lima for a Visit of Several Hours Today Inspecting the Largest of Lima Industries.

SPEECH AT LIMA HOUS E DEVOTED IN MOST PART TO TIME HONORED TARIFF.

Morning Saw Visit to Deisel-Wemmer Plant, While the Afternoon Journey Was to Shops of the Lima Locomotive Corporation.

Senator Burton, senior United States senator from Ohio, has spent almost the entire day in this city, the guest of many of the leading members of the republican party here. It is the first visit of this distinguished man to this city, and one that has been thoroughly appreciated by all the local partisans who became acquainted with Mr. Burton in the parlors of the Lima House.

Senator Burton is making a tour of this part of the state of Ohio, with a view of becoming more thoroughly familiar with the conditions as they exist in the large factories, of the relations of these industries to their employees, to the state as a unit, and as a governing body. The particular reason of the trip of the senator, or more specifically the ultimate use which he expects to make of the information which he is now gathering has not been expressed.

The senator arrived in Lima at ten-thirty o'clock this morning over the Pennsylvania railroad. He was met at the station by a committee that had been previously appointed for this service, consisting of W. L. Parmenter, late chairman of the state republican committee, John Cable, chairman of the Allen county republican executive committee, R. R. Zurmehly, secretary of the same committee, and Postmaster Albert E. Gale.

The senator spent last evening in Ada, where he spoke and again this morning. The last talk was given to the students of the Ohio Northern university at the chapel meeting at eight o'clock this morning.

Upon reception by the committee of the senator and his party, all were driven to the hotel, and then to the factory of the Deisel-Wemmer Company, cigar manufacturers. These large industries were shown to the distinguished guest and his friends in a most magnanimous spirit, and everything possible was done for the convenience of the party.

Almost the entire morning was spent in this manner. All who were with the senator's party today were very much enlightened in the tobacco subject.

At the noon hour the party retired to the Lima House where a special dinner had been prepared for the many men who had been expected to be present. There were places laid for thirty people, and all the chairs about the tables were filled.

After dinner all went into the parlors of the hotel, where an informal reception was held. All those present had an opportunity of speaking to the senator, and ex-speaker of the Ohio legislative house, Hon. Dan Mooney, with Mr Willis, representative from Ada, who accompanied the senator. After these pleasantries were over Mr. Burton spoke for a short while to his importuning admirers, dwelling to the greatest length on the subjects at this time the most pertinent.

The greatest part of the speech was devoted to the tariff question, that old topic which has been the foundation of so many discussions, legislations, etc., in the past. The senator expresses very nearly the general republican opinion on this matter, much to the delight of the majority of those present. He introduced in a brief manner a few remarks in regard to the monetary system, and finished with a short discussion of the relation of the state to industries. At no time did he explicitly convey to his hearers the reasons for his trip.

This afternoon after the close of these remarks and a second brief and informal reception, the party left the hotel in automobiles for the plant of the Lima Locomotive corporation, where an inspection was made, and the senator given an idea of the enormity of another one of Lima's institutions. This trip was followed by a short tour of the city, and then the party left for Wapakoneta and St Marys.

ABOUT TO BE TRIED FOR ACT COMMITTED OVER DECADE AGO.

Seattle, Wash., March 12.—Joseph McDonald, general manager of the Consolidated Mining and Milling company at Guanajuato, Mexico, who is now journeying, under extradition to Juneau, Alaska, to be tried on a charge of murder, was indicted last December for killing Deputy United States Marshal N. C. Jones, at Treadwell, Alaska, May 11, 1902. Jones, who was connected with a mission, annoyed McDonald by urging him to close on Sunday the great Treadwell gold mines of which he was superintendent, "so as not to incur the wrath of God." A coroner's jury exonerated McDonald and a federal grand jury failed to indict him at the time. After McDonald had gone to Mexico friends and relatives of Jones appealed to the department of justice at Washington and succeeded in having the case taken up again.

AND HOW MANY REPORTERS?

Chicago, March 12.—Only 27,676 voters placed their names on the poll books yesterday at the intermediate registration for the aldermanic election on April 1. The number is 87,508 below the total in the spring registration a year ago. Only those who had moved into other precincts or new voters were required to register.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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His Predicament

It Made Him Ill, but He Came Out All Right

By F. A. MITCHEL

When Philip Newton was of that age in which a young man's fancy turns to love an uncle of his died and left him $100,000. Phil was an unsteady chap, and his uncle in order to settle him attached a provision to his inheritance that his nephew should be married before the property could be his. The young man was to have it on coming of age, but he must be married, and if he were not married it was to go to charity.

At the time of his uncle's death Phil was twenty years and six months old. He was very much pleased at the fortunate turn in his affairs and considered the inheritance perfectly safe. He had no best girl, but he deemed the getting one very easy, especially since the lady was to share with him $5,000 a year, which would make any reasonable woman very comfortable. He knew a number of young women who would be eligible, and all he had to do was to make up his mind which one he wanted and ask her. If she didn't want him he would ask the next best, and so on till he got a wife. Since he was not in love he could see no complication in that respect, and since he didn't know of any girls being in love with him no one would be disappointed.

"Why, it's dead easy," he said to a friend.

"My advice," replied the friend, "is to get at it at once. Girls are freaky. If you should get one who at the last moment would leave you in the lurch you might lose your fortune."

This sobered Phil, and he resolved to make a list of girls he knew and proceed to business at once. But it occurred to him that girls usually didn't like lovemaking in a business way and were liable to desire a little courting. Indeed come to think of it, he didn't like that way of doing it himself. However, he made his list, which caused him no trouble at all. But when he began the arrangement of the names in order of his desires he found it very

HE RECEIVED IT WITH A SCARED LOOK.

different indeed. He put No. 1 girl at the head, but she wouldn't stay there. Some other girl was constantly "going up head." It was very much the same with No. 2, and so on with the seven names he had laid down.

It was a long while before he settled on a No. 1 with a sufficient time to begin a courtship. After spending a few weeks in attendance upon her he sent her some flowers, intending to follow up the gift with a proposal. But the girl, foreseeing the offer and being engaged, headed him off.

Phil was obliged to begin all over. He spent some time settling on a new No. 1 and when she was set up for a mark commenced to fire at her. She was not engaged, but she didn't happen to have any use for Phil and soon made him aware of the fact.

Phil was doing all this without saying anything to the girls he was trying for about his inheritance. It had not occurred to him that it would be necessary to mention the fact to get a wife. After several refusals he wondered if he wouldn't have to make use of that argument. The idea was abhorrent to him. It looked too much like offering $100,000 to induce a girl to marry him. He positively couldn't do it.

Four of the six months of grace had passed and he had not found a wife. Then he began to worry. He saw at last the wisdom of his friend's advice. Every day there was one-sixtieth less chance of his securing that fortune. He might marry his washerwoman's daughter or any girl of the lower class who was ready to be taken care of. He began to fear that he would have to do this to save his fortune.

Then he fell ill and was attacked with brain fever. For a month he was confined to his room and much of the time to his bed. When he became convalescent and could not remember anything that had occurred during his illness quite a mail had accumulated, which his nurse thought it prudent to dole out to him piecemeal. She gave him one letter addressed in a woman's hand. He opened it and found it to be a refusal from a girl he had not proposed to.

This threw him into a relapse, but the next day he demanded of his nurse to know if there was any more mail for him. Reluctantly she handed him a second letter. It was another refusal. He had no remembrance whatever of proposing to the writer. His brain was in a whirl. What did it mean? Had the universe of women conspired to mock him? He became delirious.

In a couple of days he had so far recovered that the nurse, who had refused to give him any more mail, consented to let him read three more letters at once, all there were, and have done with them. They were each and all from girls refusing a proposition of marriage from him.

"Miss Jones," he said to his nurse, "have I been writing letters since I have been ill?"

"Lots of them."

"And you mailed them?"

"No; I refused. But I suppose you found a way to get them to the postoffice. I saw you throw one of them through a window. A man came along and picked it up. I suppose he dropped it in a letter box."

"When did I write the last?"

"A few days ago. When you were first taken ill you wrote a number, and a few days ago you must have written half a dozen. I saw them, addressed and stamped, on the table beside your bed."

"What became of them?"

"I don't know. While you were delirious you were very cunning. I fancy you found a way to get them posted."

"He[illegible] grant that they were propositions [illegible] one of them may find its way to a girl who will take pity on me."

The nurse left him and the same evening brought him a letter. Like the others, the address was in a feminine hand. He tore it open feverishly and read:

Your very sweet letter reached me Tuesday. I have spent the time since consulting my heart. For a long time I have admired and respected you, but since you showed me no attention I did not think of you for a husband. Yes, I love you and will do all in my power to make you happy. I congratulate you on your inheritance and see no reason why we cannot be married before your twenty-first birthday.

Phil threw off the covers, jumped out of bed and danced around the room. He had found a woman to pity him. Then he re-read the letter and noticed mention of his fortune and the condition attached to it. He must have spoken of it in his proposal. But the refusals! Had he not written the offers of marriage that called them forth, making no mention of this matter? He shrugged his shoulders. Nevertheless the danger that had made him ill was past and gone. A girl had agreed to marry him in time to secure his fortune.

That night he had the first quiet sleep he had had for months and woke up feeling a great relief. Alas, he was doomed to another backset! After breakfast his nurse brought him another letter. He received it with a scared look and a trembling hand. He read it and wondered. It was another acceptance.

One thing in it attracted his notice—the words, "I shall be ready for the wedding in time."

Heavens! Had he written a second batch of proposals stating his reasons for wishing to be married before coming of age? He must have done so. He had written five proposing to girls, offering only himself and poverty. Doubtless he had written another half dozen mentioning his expected possessions.

All doubt of the truth of this explanation was set at rest by the receipt of more acceptances. When the fourth came he again became delirious and was not given the sixth till he was convalescent. He fainted, but was revived, and, directing that a carriage be called, he was driven home, where he gave orders that no more mail should be given him.

But a stupid servant disobeyed the instructions, and one morning Phil, who was now strong enough to be about, entering his room saw a letter addressed in a woman's hand lying on the table. He caught at the doorknob for support. But he could not take his eyes off it. It drew him as a snake's eye will charm a bird. Slowly he tottered to the table, took it up, broke it open and read:

Your letter has given me inexpressible happiness. I loved you when we played together as little children, when you carried my books to and from school, but I never dreamed my love was returned. Papa and mamma, to whom I have shown your letter, consent only on condition that we wait till you are making a sufficient salary and have gathered a few thousand dollars on which to begin married life. Come and see me soon. Your loving

JESSIE.

It needed no great perception to see that this was in reply to one of the letters he had written not mentioning his inheritance. He had wondered why there had been but five replies to this first lot, while there were six to the second. It was plain that this one had either been delayed or the writer had held his reply in order to consult her parents.

"Whoop!"

This was Phil's exclamation on receiving an acceptance to his proposal to a girl who had loved him since his boyhood, and, come to think of it, she was the dearest little girl on his list.

Phil had two weeks in which to marry and save his fortune. He went to his fiancee's father and told him the story. It is needless to say that the older man acquiesced in an early marriage, and the day Phil came of age he received both a wife and a fortune.

But he says that any man who thinks he can make a business matter of marriage within a given time is a fool.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Charles Brown, of Plain City, member of the general assembly, came to Lima for over Sunday and was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sherwood, of 511 west Market street. Mrs. Brown, who has been making a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Sherwood, accompanied him home Tuesday.

Mrs. T. W. Evans, of Buffalo, N. Y., is making a visit with her numerous friends in Lima.

W. Kirkpatrick, Brice of New York arrived in Lima late last night and spent today in this city, leaving for the east at 3:30 this afternoon over the Pennsylvania line.

Mrs. A. W. Sheppard, who before her marriage was Bertha Brown, has returned to her home in Los Angeles, Calif., after enjoying the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown, of north Jackson street.

In the Waiting Room

By M. QUAD

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A woman arrived the other forenoon from the east with seven children in tow, and almost the same hour a man reached the same depot from the north with five offspring of various ages and sizes. She was a widow and he a widower, and the children had not been whipped more than once around before there was a sort of mutual sympathy that begot admiration and then friendship. One of the widow's boys offered one of the widower's girls a bite of his fried cake, which was accepted in the spirit tendered, and a ten-year-old girl belonging to the man made up to the two-year-old belonging to the woman.

The widower smiled as he saw these things and presently winked at the depot policeman, who was strolling around and took him aside to say:

"Them children seem to take to each other?"

"Yes."

"I reckon that gal's mother is a widder woman?"

"Shouldn't wonder."

"And with seven young uns to care for she'd be willin' to [illegible]ry again?"

"I should say so. Widower, ain't you?"

"I am, and these are my five innocents, as you might call 'em."

"Seven and five are twelve," mused the officer as he looked over at the widow.

"She used to be when I went to school."

"Well!"

"If there's no law agin it I'm goin' over and ask that woman if I'm the man to make her heart palpitate."

"No law at all. Go right ahead. We aim to please our patrons."

The man drew a long breath, braced up and sauntered over to the woman and asked:

"Madam, am I wrong in believin' that you are a widow?"

"I have been a widow fourteen months today," she answered.

"Great Scott! But it's just fourteen months today since my Hanner died. Which way be you goin'?"

"To Illanoy."

"That's just where I am goin' too. Did you promise your husband never to marry again?"

"No."

"And I didn't promise my wife either. Fact is, I believe I shall unite as soon as I find some good woman."

"And my children need a father's care," she sighed as she pulled little John Henry off the window sill and bumped him into a seat.

The man got up and walked around the waiting room and took a closer look at the children. Then he returned and said:

"I suppose you've got a few hundred dollars, belong to some church, can wash and bake and mend and are of a mild and forgivin' disposition?"

"Yes, that's me."

"Well, I'm kinder religious, even tempered and am worth $2,000. I'm sort o' struck on you. There's somethin' about your eyes that reminds me of Hanner."

"And you look like Alonzo around the mouth," she sighed.

"Sure your Alonzo is dead, are you?" queried the man after getting a drink of water for one of her children.

"Oh, my, yes! And how about your departed?"

"Safe as a woodchuck in his hole. Good woman she was, but she will have to stay right where she is."

Then he bent over and whispered something about Chicago and getting married, and she nodded her head. He gathered his children under his wing, took them into a corner and solemnly and impressively observed:

"Children, I'm goin' to get married to that woman over there and give you a new mother. If any of you is goin' to kick and boohoo about it begin now, so that I can tune you down before the train goes. Henry, you are the oldest. Are you goin' to declare you'll run away or commit suicide? Let me know right now, for this is a good, cool place to prance you around with a shingle."

Henry said he guessed it would be all right, and the rest of the crowd seemed to agree, and ten minutes later the widower and widow sat holding hands and trying to eat peanuts, and the twelve children were biting and pulling hair and kicking to see who should have a seat on the steam heater.

"This is kinder the work of heaven," chuckled the widower as he hitched a little nearer.

"You bet, love!" she replied as she shucked another peanut with her teeth.

By and by the officer, who had watched the progress of events from a distance, walked over to the couple and smilingly queried:

"Well, is it all settled?"

"As solid as a rock," replied the man.

"Yes, I love him," added the woman.

"Then you'll get along all right."

"Sure to—sure to," said the man as his right arm stole around the woman's shoulders. "It's a case of love in five minits and twelve children back of it, and that's a combination hard to beat. How about the train?"

"Ten minutes yet."

"Then I'll spank the children all around and prepare to go into details with the bride to be as we rush across the country toward joy unconfined."

And when he had seen the last of them the officer turned away and mused:

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MOTTER FUNERAL.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Arnold Motter, of Perry township, who met death in a tragic manner yesterday morning, will be held at the late residence on the Bellefontaine road, at one-thirty o'clock, sun time, Thursday afternoon. The Rev. Cramer will have charge of the ceremonies.

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We have a large sum of money to loan on city property and improved farm lands at the VERY LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST with the privilege of paying part or all at any interest paying day. Persons wishing CHEAP MONEY and on SHORT NOTICE, will find it will be to their interest to call
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FARMS accurately illustrated and described in our new catalogue, with Ashtabula Road Map. Rexroth Realty Co., Rock Creek, Ohio. 1-10t*

OUR SALESMAN—Mr. Crafton will be in Lima Tuesday and Wednesday, March 11th and 12th, for the purpose of appointing and "breaking in" a manager for Allen county. Reputation and large acquaintance more important than capital. Hustler can easily average $200.00 per month. He will stop at the Waldo Hotel. The Air-Vac Co., Columbus, Ohio.

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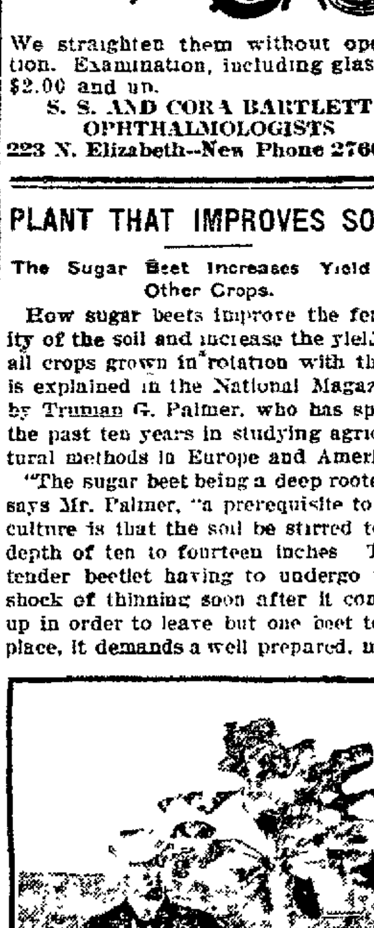
PLANT THAT IMPROVES SOIL.

The Sugar Beet Increases Yield of Other Crops.

How sugar beets improve the fertility of the soil and increase the yield of all crops grown in rotation with them is explained in the National Magazine by Truman G. Palmer, who has spent the past ten years in studying agricultural methods in Europe and America.

"The sugar beet being a deep rooter," says Mr. Palmer, "a prerequisite to its culture is that the soil be stirred to a depth of ten to fourteen inches The tender beetlet having to undergo the shock of thinning soon after it comes up in order to leave but one beet to a place, it demands a well prepared, mel-



IN AN OHIO SUGAR BEET FIELD

low seed bed Gathering the sugar in its leaves from the atmosphere by the aid of the light and storing it up in the roots, it will not thrive if the light is cut off through being shaded by weeds, and their eradication means not only a further stirring of the soil by cultivation and hoeing, but they are removed before going to seed, thus leaving weedless fields for succeeding crops Being plowed out in autumn gives an extra fall plowing, which leaves the land in condition to absorb instead of shed the fall and winter rains and store up the moisture for the following season's crop With the removal of the main root myriads of fibrous roots are broken off and left in the soil to an average of a ton to the acre, and in rotting they not only deposit humus in the lower strata of soil, but leave minute channels through which it becomes aerated and hence fertile The roots of subsequent crops follow these interstices and draw nutriment from two and three times the depth of soil formerly reached and hence the farmers double and treble their soil output without increasing their acreage"

HOW TO GET CHEAP SUGAR.

Beet Growing Will Result In Big Saving to Consumers.

Mr. W P. Willett, who is recognized as the greatest statistical expert on sugar in the country, is authority for the statement that the competition of the domestic beet product lowered wholesale sugar prices an average of half a cent a pound during 1912 Moreover, he estimates that instead of being off the market by the first of the year, as is usually the case 60 per cent of the entire beet sugar crop was carried over into the present year and that it will exercise an influence in the direction of lower prices throughout 1913

It is a familiar phenomenon in the sugar trade that wholesale prices go down every year when beet sugar comes upon the market and that prices go up again as soon as the beet sugar is disposed of and the big seaboard refiners of imported sugar are again in control of the situation.

During the Hardwick committee's investigation of the sugar industry the examination of Mr Willett as to the best means of insuring a permanent supply of cheap sugar for the American consumer brought from him the admission that the only way to accomplish this was to encourage the beet sugar industry to develop as rapidly as possible

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MARKETS

LIMA MARKETS.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE.

Country Butter, lb.	30c
Lard, lb.	12c
Eggs, doz.	18c
Young Chickens, lb.	12c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Potatoes, bu.	45c
Apples, bu.	75c@$1.00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c

RETAIL GROCERIES.

Country Butter, lb.	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	20c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Potatoes, bu.	60c
Apples, bu.	$1.20
Turnips, bu.	80c
Onions, bu.	$1.00

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, bu.	$1.05
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu.	30c
Timothy Seed, bu.	$1.00
Rye, bu.	55
Red Clover Seed, bu.	$9.50
Alsike, bu.	$10.00

HAY MARKET.

No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton.	$12.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton.	$10.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton.	$11.00
No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton.	$9.00
No 1 Cloved, baled, ton.	$10.00
No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton	$8.00

LIVE STOCK.

Good Steers, 1400 to 1200 lbs.	6½@7c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs	6¾@7¼c
Heifers	5@6c
Calves	7½@8c
Bulls	5@5¾c
Cows	2½@5c
Lambs	7@8¼c
Hogs, heavy	8c

THE MARKETS.

New York, March 12 —Higher prices for American stocks in London influenced the opening here, and there was a general advance. Best gains were made in the international stocks Canadian Pacific led the advance with a rise of over 3 points. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, St. Paul, Reading, Lehigh Valley, Can, Smelting and Amalgamated rose a point each

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

Cleveland, O., March 12 —Butter, creamery extras 37½@38 a pound, prints 38½@30; seconds 35@35½; process, extras 27@27½, firsts 25½@26; dairy, fancy 28@29: do choice 24@25, packing stock, No. 1, 19@20: No 2, 17@18

Cheese American whole milk, fancy twins and flats 19@20c a pound, do choice, 18@18½, brick fancy 19@20, choice 17@18, Swiss fancy open 23@24 do choice 21@22, limburger fancy 19 do choice 18, bloc 20@21 a pound, imported fancy 32@34, do choice 31@32, hand cheese 80c a box, roquefort 45c a pound

Eggs, fresh gathered, current receipts, 19c a dozen, do seconds 16½c; duck eggs 28@30

Poultry, alive, chickens 17½@18 a pound.

Apples, cold storage, $2 90@3 25 a barrel; No 2, $2 25@2 50 common storage No 1, $2 50@2 75 a barrel: common storage No 2 $2 25, per half bushel basket 25@50, western, box, $1 25@2 00.

Potatoes, jobbing, 58@60c a bu store, 65, car lots 50@55, new Bermuda $6 50@6 75 a barrel

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK.

Cincinnati, O, March 12.—Cattle—Receipts 891 active Steers $5 25@8 65 heifers $5.25@8 00, cows $3.00@6 80 calves strong, $6 00@11 25.

Hogs—Receipts 2,763; active; packers $9@9 15 common sows $6 00@8 75 pigs and lights $6.00@9 15, stags $5 00@7 50.

Sheep—Receipts 328

Sheep and Lambs—Steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 12.—Hogs—Receipts 23,000 strong, bulk of sales $8 65@8 85, light $8 70@9 00 mixed $8 50@8 97 heavy $8 50@8 82½, roughs $8 30@8 45; pigs $6 85@8 85

Cattle—Receipts 11,500, firm, beeves $7 15@9 1 Texas steers $6 00@7 00 western steers $6 60@7 90, stockers and feeders $6 00@8 00 cows and heifers $3 50@8 00 calves $7 00@11 00

Sheep—Receipts 18,000, strong; native $6 00@7 10, yearlings $7.25@8 25; lambs, native $8 00@9 10

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Pittsburg, Pa, March 12 —Hogs, receipts 1,000 higher; heavies $9.40; heavy yorkers, light yorkers and pigs $9 70

Sheep and lambs, receipts 1500; strong: top sheep $7 25, top lambs $9 25

Calves, receipts 100; higher; top $12 00.

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N. Y, March 12 —Cattle, receipts 100, steady.

Veals, receipts 50; active, $7 00@12 25

Hogs, receipts 1,000, heavy $9 30@9 40, mixed $9 40@9.50; yorkers $9.55@9.65, pigs $9.60@9.65. roughs $8.35@8.50; stags $6.50@7.50, dairies $9.25@9.60.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 2,000; active; lambs $8.50@9.40; yearlings $5 50@8.50; wethers $7.00@7.25, ewes $3.50@6.50; sheep, mixed, $5.00@6.75.

CLEVELAND LIVESTOCK.

Cleveland, O., March 12.—Cattle, receipts 100; market strong.

Veals calves, receipts 200, market strong; good to choice $10.50@11.50

Sheep and lambs, receipts 1,000 Market strong, choice spring lambs $8 75@9.15; fair to good $6.50@8 25; common $5.50@6.00.

Hogs, receipts 1,000, market 10c higher, heavies and mediums $9.25 yorkers $9 40, light yorkers and pigs $9 50; roughs $8.15; stags $7.25.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, March 12 —Wheat declined today largely as a result of the German official report making farm reserves 16,000,000 bushels heavier than a year ago. Fine weather in [illegible] against the bulls. The decline, however, was checked by fair buying on the part of shorts. Opening prices were ⅛ lower to ⅛@¼ higher May started at 89⅝ to 89¾, unchanged to ⅛ down, and fell to 89¼

Corn showed steadiness owing to relative firm cables. May opened the same as last night to ⅛ higher at 52¼ to 52¼ and rose to 52⅜@½

Scantiness of demand hardened the oats market May which started unchanged to ⅛ off at 32⅝ to 32¾c advanced to 32¾@⅞

Higher prices for hogs carried provisions upward First sales were at last night's level to 12½ higher with May $20.70 to $20.75 for pork, $10 52½ to $10 55 for lard and $10.65 to $10.75½ for ribs

CALLS ADAM AND EVE FAKES.

University Professor Stamps Biblical Incident as Fiction.

William Duncan McMillan of the University of Chicago astonished his class recently by whacking Adam and Eve as fakes.

"Biblical chroniclers arranged the story of Adam and Eve from folklore to explain the origin of man," said he.

"There can be no doubt that Adam and Eve and their tempter, the serpent, never actually existed The story cannot be considered anything but a myth, evolved by the ancients to account for the presence of humans upon earth The universally credited theory of evolution smashes the one man and one woman story. There never was a first man or a first woman

"If Adam and Eve lived in the garden of Eden 6,000 years ago and light travels at the rate of 186,000 miles per second, with our present day powerful microscopic lenses we should still be able to see them in Paradise"

OROZCO REPORTED DROWNED.

"Human Tiger" Said to Have Met Death Swimming From Pursuers.

That Pascual Orozco, Jr, the "human tiger," former leader of the rebels in northern Mexico, was drowned while swimming the Rio Grande to escape federals who surprised him and his party late last September, was asserted recently by Manuel Mascarenas, a former rebel commander, who arrived in Los Angeles

He declares Orozco, with his father, his secretary, Jose Cordova, and several others, was surprised at Ojinga, near the Rio Grande The leaders rushed for the river, abandoned their horses in the water and tried to swim to the American side Orozco the younger never reappeared, according to Mascarenas' informant.

His horse, expensive saddle and gold mounted sword were recovered by Felix Terasas, one of the rebel party, on the American side.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD

but never follows the use of Foleys' Honey and Tar Compound It stops the cough, heals the sore and inflamed air passages and strengthens the lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package with beehive on carton. Refuse substitutes.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received for the installation of heating and ventilating equipment, and all things connected therewith, for the new addition and the remodeling of the High School Building, by the Board of Education, Lima, Ohio, until twelve o'clock, noon, Tuesday, April 15, 1913

All bidders shall, at the time of offering their bid, present and furnish with said bid, profiles, plans and specifications for the heating and ventilation of the above described building Each proposal must contain the names of every person interested in the same and be accompanied by a surety bond in an amount equal to fifty (50%) per cent of the bid, which bond shall be retained by the Board of Education, guaranteeing the faithful performance of the contract, which will be entered into with the successful bidder

All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope and addressed to the Clerk of the Board of Education, and marked, "Proposals for heating and ventilating the Lima High School and the addition thereto." All figures contained in said proposal shall be written out in full The labor and material embraced in the work bid for, shall each be separately stated in the bid, with the price thereof.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Education G. W. MUNTIS, Clerk.
J C PENCE, President
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT,

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss Estate of Mrs E. A. Hardesty, deceased.

Levi Hetrick has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Mrs. E. A. Hardesty, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 10th day of Mrach, A. D 1913

FRED C BECKER, Probate Judge
Kent W Hughes, Attorney for Executor
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NOTICE OF PRESENTING COUNTY ROAD PETITION.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Allen county, at their March session, 1913, praying for the laying out and establishing of a County Road on the following line, to-wit, beginning at the Bellfontaine Road on the West section line, section No three (3), Township four (4) South, of range seven (7) East, Allen County, Ohio, thence running North through said section No. three (3) to Township line between Perry and Bath Townships, Allen County, Ohio, thence running North on section line between sections No thirty-three (33) and thirty-four (34), and twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28), in Bath Township, Allen County, Ohio to the LaFayette Road and the South end of the Slabtown Road, and there terminate

A. E DAVIS, Petitioner
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APPLICATION FOR PAROLE.

Notice is hereby given that Geo T Bennett, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary, has been recommended to the Ohio Board of Administration by the Warden and Chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole. Said application will be for hearing on and after April 11, 1913.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15174
Ex Doc 13 Page 15174
Arabella Knapp Vogelgesang, Plaintiff, vs. Benton Gregg et al., Defendants. Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county Ohio, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a m the following described lands and tenements situated in Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit

Eighteen (18) feet in width off of the north side of in lot number sixty-one hundred and nine (6109), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county Ohio Appraised at $30 00.

In lot number sixty-one hundred and ten (6110) in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima Allen county, Ohio, Appraised at $100 00

In lot number sixty-one hundred and eleven (6111), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima Allen county, Ohio Appraised at $70 00

In lot number sixty-one hundred and twelve (6112), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima Allen county, Ohio Appraised at $15 00

Total appraisement $215 00

Terms of Sale: Said premises to be sold at public auction, at not less than two-thirds (2-3) of the appraised value, at the door of the Court House in said City of Lima Cash on day of sale

F MARION WATT, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.
Lima Ohio Feb 24 1913
Lippincott & Lippincott Plaintiff's Attorneys
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 15312
Ex Doc 13 Page 15312
Millard I Heath Plaintiff, vs Luther B. Tyson Defendant. Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of order of sale issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county Ohio, on Saturday the 29th day of March A D 1913 between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a m, the following described lands and tenements situated in Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows to wit

Lot number sixty-eight hundred and four (6804) in Park Side Addition to the City of Lima Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $225 00
Terms of Sale Cash

F MARION WATT, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, Feb 24 1913
J. G Hersh Stickle & Cessna, Plaintiff's Attorneys
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NOTICE.

In the matter of the probate of the will of Michael F Lyons, deceased In the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio

To Mary Lyons whose last known place of residence was Toledo Ohio, and Ethel Pugh, who resides at Needles, California, next of kin of Michael F Lyons late of Lima Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased, you and each of you will hereby take notice that on the 2nd day of January, 1913 an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Michael F Lyons, deceased was produced in open court and an application to admit the same to probate was the same day made in said court

Said application will be for hearing before said court at Lima, Ohio on the 20th day of March A D 1913 at 10 o'clock a m, to which time said hearing has been by the court continued

In compliance with an order of this court made February 24th, 1913

FRED C BECKER Probate Judge
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio Allen County, ss Estate of Oscar Royce, Deceased

Dulsie Royce has been appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Oscar Royce, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 4th day of March, A D. 1913

FRED C. BECKER, Probate Judge.
C J Brotherton, Attorney for Administratrix
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APPLICATION FOR PARDON.

Notice is hereby given that at the next meeting of Ohio state board of pardons an application will be made for the pardon of Antonio Vittorioso, convicted at the April term, 1910, of the court of common pleas of Allen county, of the crime of murder and sentenced to imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary for the period of his natural life.

(Signed)
ANTONIO VITTORIOSO
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STATEMENT OF BALANCES AND OVERDRAFTS.

The following is a correct statement of the balances and overdrafts of the various funds of Allen County, Ohio at the close of business February 28, 1913

FUND	BALANCE	OVERDRAFT
Ind General Tax	$ 6,780 80	$
Ind Liquor Tax	2,126 07	
Ind Cigarette Tax	30 74	
County	61,704 60	
Judicial	8,178 11	
Infirmary	1,654 26	
Bridge	[illegible] 27	
Children's Home	7,701 86	
Soldiers' Relief	5,856 12	
Dog	1,777 27	
Building	7,227 07	
County Ditch	628 08	
County Road	18,931 67	
Memorial Building	7,899 07	
Redemption	40 65	
Blind Fund	2,058 76	
Auditor's Fee Fund	1,046 07	
Treasurer's Fee Fund	[illegible] 07	
Probate Judge's Fee Fund	[illegible]	
Clerk of Courts Fee Fund	[illegible]	
Sheriff's Fee Fund	202 17	
Recorder's Fee Fund	116 68	
Institute Fund	83 50	
Partition Fence	10 92	
Depositary Interest	18 78	
Peddler's License	5 00	
Wm Lutz Jt Co Ditch		1 116 [illegible]
Kohli Jt Co Ditch		16 18
Hilty Jt Co Ditch		108 [illegible]
Shrider Jt Co Ditch	[illegible]	
Klausing Jt Co Ditch (No. 2)		13 58
Metzger Jt Co Ditch		196 51
Schnitkels Jt Co Ditch		180 59
W H Begg Ditch		287 64
Ellen Hutchison Ditch		109 62
F D & Geo E Leist Ditch	155 [illegible]	
Coplin Jt Co Ditch		22 97
Rhena A Baker Ditch	125 21	
G J Brunk Ditch	808 9[illegible]	
City of Lima Ditch	424 [illegible]	
Jos F Loyer Ditch	1 774 [illegible]	
L C Sigler Ditch	1 606 61	
D J Cable Ditch	8,306 61	
Harpster Ditch		299 60
Samson Stemen Ditch	91 10	
J W Kemper Ditch	167 25	
W B Berryman Ditch	617 44	
Mary A Heer Ditch	57 35	
I A Jacobs Ditch	180 28	
Wm S Zeet Ditch	564 84	
D I Sunderland Ditch	406 72	
Wm Feller Ditch	25.02	
Louisa Wester Ditch		261 00
Delia McLaughlin Ditch		11 00
J A Walker Ditch		52 40
C H Coon Ditch		3 45
Chas Mueller Jt Co Ditch	163 62	
Crawford Heirs Ditch		113 92
Richland Twp S D	4,579 09	
Bluffton Village S D	2 621 69	
Sugar Creek Twp S D	1 016 16	
Marion Twp S D	4 418 61	
Delphos City S D	11 810 79	
Spencer Twp S D	1 869 22	
Spencerville Village S D	2 706 65	
Auditor's Balance	$262 96[illegible] 07	
Outstanding Warrant Account	150 662 22	
Treasurer's Balance	$413,625.29	

H N LAMBERTON County Treasurer
J W DOUGLASS County Auditor

Lima Ohio March 11 1913

C., H. & D. RY.

NORTH BOUND.

No 8. Daily	2.15 a. m.
No. 2 Daily	7.10 a. m.
No. 6. Daily	12:00 noon
No 4 Daily	4:39 p. m.
No. 10 Daily, runs to Lima only	9:20 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7 Daily	2:55 a. m.
No 11 Daily	5:25 a. m.
No 1 Daily	8:50 a. m.
No. 5 Daily	12:15 p. m.
No. 3 Daily	3.53 p. m.

L. E. & W. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

No 18 Daily Ex. Sunday	6:50 a. m.
No 4 Daily Ex Sunday	12:40 p. m.
No 2 Daily	5:35 p. m.

WEST BOUND

No. 1 Daily	9:25 a m.
No. 3 Daily Ex. Sunday	4:09 p. m.
No 17 Daily Ex Sunday, runs to Lima only	9:05 p m.

P., F. W. & C. R. R.

EAST BOUND

*No 24	1:14 a. m.
*No 26	1:25 a. m.
*No. 6	7:06 a. m.
*No. 18	8:25 a. m.
*No 16	1:27 a. m.
xNo 52	1:56 p. m.
No 22 All Pullman	3:22 p. m.
*No. 8	9:30 p. m.
*No. 2	10:29 p m.

WEST BOUND

*No. 25	2:02 a. m.
*No 29	9:15 a. m.
*No 27	8:57 a. m.
*No 21	10:30 a. m.
*No. 9	2:39 p. m.
*No 19	2:52 p. m.
*No 11	7:01 p. m.

*—Daily.
x—Daily except Sunday

CHICAGO & ERIE R R.

(Dec. 8, 1912)

EAST BOUND.

No 8 Daily, N Y. Ex.	6:40 a. m.
No. 222 Daily Ex. Sunday	8:00 a. m.
No 224 Daily Ex Sunday	3:15 p. m.
No. 4 Daily, N. Y. Lim.	5:00 p. m.

WEST BOUND

No. 7 Daily Chicago Ex.	1:10 a. m.
No. 227 Daily Ex Sunday	9:20 a. m.
No. 3 Daily Chicago Lim.	11:57 a. m.
No. 233 Daily Ex. Sunday	7:20 p. m.

D., T. & I. R. R.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 2	12:05 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1	3:35 p m.

Both daily except Sunday

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PLAINTIFF WINS CASE

Solomon Ruff is Awarded $331 in Personal Injury Case

CLASH WITH AUTO BASIS FOR SUIT.

Relatives Make an Effort to Break Will of Mrs. Hardesty.

It took the jury in the case of Solomon Ruff against M. J. Limbaugh three hours and a half to come to an agreement yesterday afternoon. The morning hours were taken up with the pleas of the lawyers and the charge of Judge Bailey to the grand jury. It was just three and one half hours after they were locked up that they announced that they had ended their deliberations and come to an agreement. They awarded the plaintiff in the case $331 on a petition for $2000. The plaintiff claimed that he received damage to this amount in an accident in the early part of June, last year, when his bicycle and the automobile of the defendant came together. One entire day, Monday, had been consumed in the taking of the testimony bearing upon the facts in the case.

Would Break Will.

A petition was late yesterday afternoon filed with the clerk of the common pleas court, alleging that the will of the late Mrs. E. A. Hardesty, which was admitted to probate on the seventh day of March by Judge Becker, is not the last will and testiment of the deceased, but that another had been later drawn, and destroyed. The plaintiff in this action is Mrs. Kate Black, a daughter of the deceased. This same question was brought up in the probate court at the time of the proving of the will, but after hearing the testimony which was offered, and considering the matter that was brought before him, Judge Becker decided that the claim did not come within his jurisdiction, but ought to be threshed out in common pleas court. The petition requests the court to order the setting aside of the will. It names as the defendants in the matter Elijah J. Hardesty, Ruth Hardesty, and Lesi Herrick. The last named has been appointed executor, and the others are the legatees.

New Partition Suit.

A partition suit was filed this morning in the common pleas court, asking that certain specified real estate now owned conjointly by several parties, be divided or sold and proportionate returns be given. The suit was brought by Mary Phillips through her attorneys, Welty and Downing. The defendants named in the petition are William McHenry, John McHenry, Thomas Robinson, a minor, Huron Russell, Elizabeth Ross, Estella Hanebuth, Bernard Bealer a inor, Frank Bealer, a minor, Harvey Bealer, a minor, and Donald Bealer, a minor.

The property that is the basis of the suit is in two tracts, and is described in the petition as first, the west one half of the southeast quarter of section fifteen of town two south of range eight, containing in all approximately eighty acres. Second, the southeast corner of the south one half of the northeast quarter of section fifteen of town two south of range eight east of the first principal Meridian of Ohio.

Emick vs John R. Lee.

The case of A. E. Emick against John R. Lee was called in court this morning. The hearing is being conducted in the lower court room, with Judge Leighton on the bench. The attorneys for the opposing sides presented their outlines to the jury, and read their petitions and cross-petitions, etc. Wheeler and Bentley are handling the case of Mr Emick, the plaintiff, and Mackenzie and Weadock are representing Mr. Lee. The case grows out of the sale of some timber by the plaintiff to the defendant, an alleged failure to furnish an unpaid bill, and numerous little side questions. The examination of witnesses was begun shortly after ten o'clock.

GREAT DAY FOR SIDNEY.

Sydney, Australia, March 12 — The foundation stone of the future capital of Australia, was laid today by Baron Denman, governor general of the commonwealth. Lady Denman christened the new city Canberra in the presence of great crowds from Melbourne and Sydney.

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MASS MEETING NOTICE.

A mass meeting of East Lima citizens will be held this evening at Brown's hall for the purpose of reorganizing the East Lima Improvement club and election of officers. A preliminary meeting was held last Wednesday evening. All east end citizens are cordially invited.

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Miss Bussert Will Arrive in Lima Saturday for Week.

Miss Anna Bussert, daughter of Mrs. S. G. Robison, of west High street, who is singing "Maid Marian" in a revival of Robin Hood, is to marry Carl Gantvoort, who plays Little John in the Robin Hood company. Announcement of the engagement in marriage was made this week in Cleveland, where the company has been singing Robin Hood.

They will close in Cleveland Saturday evening for Holy week and Miss Bussert will arrive here Sunday to spend the week with her mother, expecting to remain here until Easter Sunday. Mr. Gantvoort will also come to Lima to spend a portion of the time with Miss Bussert at the home of her mother.

The announcement of the engagement will be the cause for a profusion of good wishes to be showered upon the delightful little lady, who has appeared many times in recital here and who numbers her friends by the hundreds.

Mr. Gantvoort too will be the recipient of numerous good wishes anent his success in having won Miss Bussert for a life companion.

It is said that the success which Miss Bussert has achieved in the musical world is only equaled by the score of complimentary things which have been said of the triumphs Mr. Gantvoort has to his credit.

The wedding will likely take place in the early spring-time.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Miss Nina Bolmar, who will be the guest artist at the matinee recital of the Women's Music club tomorrow afternoon, will arrive in Lima, Thursday afternoon at 11 5 over the Erie and will be entertained at luncheon at the Business Woman's club. Miss Flora D. Price, her accompanist, whose home is in Kenton, has been entertaining Miss Bolmar. Miss Price will be entertained while here by Mrs. Frank C. Cunningham, of south Collett street. Indications point to the belief that a full house will greet Miss Bolmar upon her appearance at the recital, where she will sing, among other things, a group of Irish songs. The recital will be held at the Elks' home.

Miss Ruth Parrett, of west North street, will leave Saturday, for Waterloo, Ia., where she takes a position as reporter on one of the newspapers in that city.

The program, to be given by Miss Nina Bolmar for the Business Woman's club Thursday evening at Wheeler hall, will begin promptly at 8 30 o'clock. There will be no charge to members of the club, but any outside who wish to attend, must pay 50 cents for admission. Miss Bolmar will repeat the program she will give in the afternoon before the Women's Music club. Miss Flora D. Price will be accompanist.

Children Cry
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POLICE COURT NEWS.

There was very little excitement in police court this morning. The usual couple of drunks were discovered and cooped during the hours of darkness, and allowed to make an appearance before His Honor this morning. Joe Frand and C. H. Poultry had both imbibed a little too freely, and were picked up by officers. They were equally treated at the hands of the mayor, and invited to pay one dollar and costs.

There were two others who were in on a more serious matter. They had not only filled themselves up with too much liquor, but they had made themselves somewhat obnoxious at home. In each case the wife had made complaint, and in such manner that the men were put into cold storage over night. In each case when their trouble came up for adjustment this morning, the more serious parts of the charges were nollied and they were compelled to answer solely to a drunk charge. Gurnie Cavinder was one of these. His wife appeared this morning and their marital life was resurrected from apparent failure. The other one in this class seems to have several names. On some places he is one man, some another. He first gave the name of John Moran. The former of these two drew five and costs, with a sixty day, suspended, workhouse sentence. The latter one and costs, with a sixty day sentence that was likewise suspended during good behavior.

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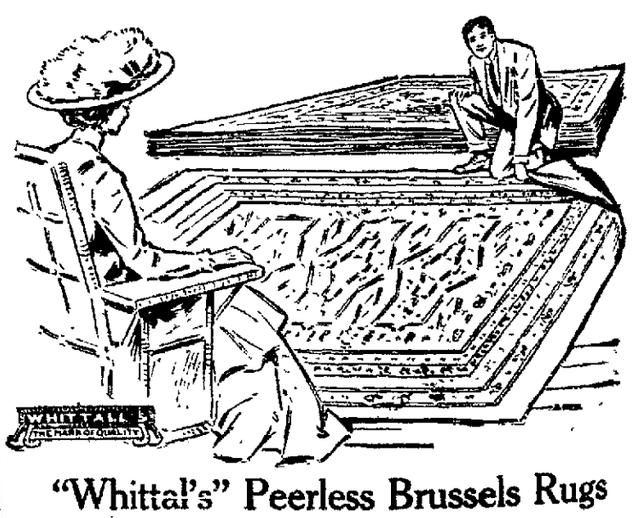

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